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DEATH IN THE ORIENT

Thousands of Lives Lost in Japan By Typhoons and Floods.

The Shores of Formosa Strewn For Miles With Wrecked Shipping.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Oct. 20.—Disastrous typhoons, sand storms and floods have caused a fearful loss of life and property in the Orient. In the district watered by the river Feng in Japan, hundreds of villages have been swept away and 2,000 people have been drowned.

Another report says 250 towns are under water. Thousands of refugees are flocking to the cities. The Isnikari river has also overflowed, drowning over 1,000 people. Seven prefectures were destroyed. In a terrible typhoon off Formosa, happening the same time as the floods, great damage to shipping was done. At Temani eight junks were wrecked and a hundred lives lost. Twelve junks were driven to sea and lost. The steamer Rensi Maru was piled upon shore.

Among the ships wrecked was the American bark Comet. The ship was abandoned and the crew saved. The French steamer Holbow is wrecked on the beach near Amoy. The German steamer Trinidad, formerly of the Cunard line, was abandoned in the open sea.

Homeward bound passengers state that they passed through twenty miles of abandoned wrecks, chiefly Chinese junks. The loss of life must have been enormous.

SLOAN RIDES A DEAD HEAT IN A BIG RACE.

Associated Press Dispatches by the Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LONDON, Oct. 20.—At the first day's racing of the Sandon Club today H. E. Reddington's 4-year-old chestnut colt Buckfoot won the Hermitage plate. The Lorillard-Beresford stables 3-year-old bay gelding, Bayard II, ridden by Tod Sloan, finished third. Nine horses ran.

The Lorillard-Beresford stable's chestnut filly, Myakka, ridden by Sloan, and D. J. Jardine's colt, Heartsease, ran a dead heat in the twentieth year of the Great Sapling plate. L. R. Swar's Fifeshire was third. This event was for 1,000 sovereigns by subscription of one sovereign each. Eleven horses ran over the course, distance five furlongs. The betting was 11 to 8 against Myakka.

The Orleans Nursery handicap of 500 sovereigns was won by J. A. Miller's filly Patching. The Lorillard-Beresford colt Boomer, ridden by Sloan, was unplaced. The betting was 5 to 1 against Boomer. The Malden handicap of 150 sovereigns was won by Lord Scarbourough's 4-year-old Wild Ray, Gallatin finished second and E. Forester's colt Mortlake, ridden by Sloan, the favorite, was third. The betting was 5 to 2 against Mortlake.

WIFE MURDERER HANGED IN MINNESOTA.

Associated Press Dispatches by the Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

GRANITE FALLS, Minn., Oct. 20.—Joe Ott, who pleaded guilty of killing his wife, was hanged in the jail yard here at 1:25 A. M. Ott made a statement from the gallows, expressing sorrow for the crime. This was the first execution in the history of Yellow Medicine county.

IMPORTANT DECISION ON A TRADE MARK.

Associated Press Dispatches by the Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 20.—In the case of the Pittsburg Crucible Steel Plant vs. the Diamond Steel Company, the United States Court of Appeals has handed down a decision in favor of the appellee, affirming the opinion of the lower court. The case was brought to restrain the appelle from imitating a trade-mark of the appellant and from selling goods marked with that trade-mark or any simulation of it. The court decided that no damage had been sustained by the appellant.

REPUBLICAN NOMINATION DECLARED VOID.

Associated Press Dispatches by the Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Oct. 20.—Judge Simonton of the County Court has filed an opinion in which he holds that a certificate of nomination of Congressman Thomas S. Butler, who claims the Republican nomination in the Sixth District, is invalid, because he was not regularly nominated. Butler's certificate was objected to by ex-Congressman John Robinson of Delaware county, who has filed nomination papers as an independent candidate.

BIG TUG SUNK AND A FIREMAN DROWNED.

Associated Press Dispatches by the Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Oct. 20.—The big tug L. P. Smith was sunk in the harbor entrance today as a result of a collision with the steamer Olympia. There were three men on the tug. The captain and engineer jumped as she went down, and were rescued after a long, desperate battle with the waves. When picked up by a boat from the Olympia the men were nigh exhausted. The firemen went down with the tug and was drowned. The Olympia was injured.

C. McCarthy, the drowned fireman, was formerly a member of the crew of the cruiser Columbia.

FRANCE MOBILIZING NAVAL RESERVE.

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PARIS, Oct. 20.—The alleged war preparations of France are the absorbing topic of discussion here. According to the French papers there were important naval experiments at Toulon last evening. The results of the experiments have not been made public.

The Aurore asserts that five classes of the naval reserves around Brest have been ordered to hold themselves in readiness for active service.

SENATOR TELLER'S WRATH AROUSED.

Colorado Supreme Court Turns Down His Faction.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

DENVER, Colo., Oct. 20—Regarding the decision of the Supreme Court announced last evening, awarding the name and emblem of the Silver Republican party to the Broad or anti-Teller faction of that party, Senator Teller said:

"I am disappointed at the ruling of the court, which I consider indefensible. It makes the emblem an agency of fraud on the voter instead of protection as intended by the statute.

"The Silver Republicans will vote the Fusion ticket, which will be filed by petition. It will take more than a decision by a bare majority of the court to discourage the friends of silver. Our enemies have the emblem, but we will have the votes, and the Fusion ticket will be elected by a great majority."

The committee to fill vacancies on the Silver Republican ticket will meet Friday night, and it is understood that a fusion will be effected with the Republicans, Henry R. Wolcott, brother of Senator Wolcott, being made the candidate of both parties for Governor.

LOS ANGELES BOY ON TRIAL FOR MURDER

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 20.—Harry Clark, a young lad, was placed on trial this morning for his life. He is accused of shooting Won Wing Hay, a laundryman of Garvanza, to death with a shotgun, to secure the few dollars he had in his pockets. Several days after the crime Clark, who had disappeared, was found hiding in the cellar of a farm house near the scene of the crime. The Chinese residents of this city are stirred and will make a vigorous prosecution.

DEATH OF A WELL KNOWN EDUCATOR.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—Hon John M. Gregory, who was one of the first commissioners under the present civil service law, and who was for thirteen years president of the University of Illinois, died here last night, aged 76 years. He was a native of New York, but spent much of his time in educational work in Michigan and Illinois. He was the author of a number of books.

FIRE IN SPANISH STEAMER'S HOLD.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Oct. 20.—The Spanish steamship Ida, Ceniga master, from Galveston October 18th for Liverpool, is coming up the river with her cargo of cotton on fire.

Definition of Great Register

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 20.—Owing to a writ of mandate brought by Charles Palm, a job printer, Judge Clark has rendered an opinion that the Supervisors of the county are required to print 3,290 Great Registers instead of 750, as bids were called for. The Supervisors contended that supplemental registers were to be classed as Great Registers. The opinion holds differently.

Railroads to Be Sold.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—Announcement was made of sale under foreclosure of the Denver, Texas and Gulf, the Denver and Texas and Fort Worth railroads at Pueblo, by Special Master Johnson, on November 19th next. The first parcel to be sold consists of the Denver, Texas and Gulf property.

Asks Relief From Liabilities.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

CHICAGO, Oct. 20.—Charles A. Baldwin, in a petition of bankruptcy in the United States Court, prays to be relieved of liabilities aggregating about $350,000, $294,408 of which is represented by a note due C. E. James of Chattanooga, Tenn., signed jointly, according to the petition by Baldwin, by Jere Baxter of Nashville, Tenn., and C. H. Brown of Boston, Mass.

Gov. Bushnell Inspects Camps.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Oct. 20.—Governor Bushnell has arrived to-day for the purpose of inspecting the camp here. The regiments at the camp paraded today as a part of the Knoxville carnival celebration, and were reviewed by General McKee, commanding, and Governor Bushnell.

NO FIGHT WITH THE FILIPINOS.

Sensational Story From Madrid Pronounced a Fabrication.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—The report from Madrid that there has been fighting between the American and insurgent forces in the Philippines is regarded as utterly false by the State and War and Navy Departments here.

It is just possible that some incidents of a very insignificant nature have taken place, as it is reported that some insurgent vessels have been carrying arms to the insurgents to spread the insurrection in the islands, and Dewey would have stopped them. But it is absurd to speak of an insurgent navy seriously, for the entire force consists of a few schooners and one or two little coasting steamers, altogether not being a match for the least of the vessels under Dewey's command.

The explanation of the Admiral's interference with these vessels in their opeations is a desire on his part to maintain the status quo in the Philippines pending the conclusion of the peace comission's work in Paris.

It is said here that it is not surprising that the Spanish Cabinet is trying to make much of this incident, that can b etwistd into a dmonstration of actual hostilities between the American forces in the Philippines and the insurgents, for that would make ground to sustain the contention they are sure to put forward when the Philippines come under consideration before the Paris peace commission, that the United State sforces have never been able to take possession of and hold this territory outside of Manila proper. Under the rules of international law such a point would be entitled to serious consideration in determining what disposition should be made of the territory.

POINTS ABOUT THE SATURDAY TRIBUNE.

The Tribune on Saturday will be an interesting paper. There will be a number of special articles dealing with various subjects of interest to the people. It must be borne in mind that The Tribune is the only paper in Alameda county entitled to print the Associated Press dispatches giving the news of the world on the same day that it happens. The regular weekly London letter of the Associated Press will be printed on Saturday. The people who take an interest in music will find a column devoted to the musical interests of the city. "The Tenor" will have something to say about the various concerts. The society department of The Tribune will be especially interesting this week. The Meddler, as usual, will have a number of society secrets to disclose. Then, too, there will be an interesting dramatic column. The politicians of the State will be discussed in a special letter by George F. Hatton. At the same time, the politicians of Alameda county will not be neglected.

The Tribune on Saturday will consist of twelve pages. It will contain all the local news of the day, besides the complete Associated Press reports. There are many other good things in store for the readers of this paper. The Tribune is only 35 cents a month to all Oakland subscribers.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH SELECTS BISHOPS.

Associated Press Dispatches by the Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—The House of Bishops of the Episcopal Church selected the following missionary bishops: For Boise, Idaho, Rev. J. B. Funston of Portsmouth, Va.; for Sacramento, Cal., Rev. W. H. Moreland of San Francisco; for North Dakota, Rev. S. D. Edsall of Chicago; for presiding bishop of Brazil, Rev. L. L. Kinsolving, Virginia.

CHINESE MURDER A FRENCH MISSIONARY.

Associated Press Dispatches by the Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

PARIS, Oct. 20.—At the Cabinet meeting to-day the Minister of General Affairs, M. Delcasse, read a telegram from the French Consul at Peking, M. Gerard, announcing that a French missionary and several Chinese Catholics have been massacred or burned to death in a chapel at Pakalung by a riotous mob. M. Gerard immediately demanded reparation from the Chinese Government, including pecuniary compensation.

M. Delcasse instructed M. Gerard to instruct the Chinese Foreign Office that the French Government will take action if China does not adopt measures absolutely guaranteeing the lives of the missionaries.

SANTA FE'S GENEROSITY TO SOLDIERS.

Associated Press Dispatches by the Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

TOPEKA, Kas., Oct. 20.—The Santa Fe has announced that it will make a special rate to Uncle Sam's soldiers, regulars as well as volunteers, going home or elsewhere on sick leave, furlough or after discharge. The rate between Missouri river points and San Francisco will be $25 for second-class and $30 for first class tickets. These rates are also made available for disabled volunteer soldiers, inmates of soldier's homes.

BATTLESHIP TEXAS TO SAIL FOR MANILA.

Associated Press Dispatches by the Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—The battleship Texas passed out Sandy Hook at 8:20 A. M. for Philadelphia. She is to take part in the peace jubilee there and then go into dry dock to prepare for her long voyage to Manila. It is expected she will be ready to go to Manila in about six weeks. The transport Berlin also sailed this morning, bound for Santiago and Porto Rico with Quartermaster's stores, etc.

YELLOW JACK FINDS A VICTIM IN OHIO.

Associated Press Dispatches by the Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WARREN, Ohio, Oct. 20.—The case of yellow fever in Paris township, Trumbull county, resulted in the death today of the victim, Miss Blanche Beck, aged 28. There have been no other developments of the disease. Miss Beck recently returned from Mississippi, coming to this county from Tennessee.

CZAR'S PEACE NOTE FAVORED

The Episcopal Conference Warmly Endorses the Proposition.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—At the meeting of the House of Deputies of the Episcopal Convention to-day, the following letter to the Czar of Russia was agreed upon:

"To His Majesty, the Czar of Russia:—The General Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church, composed of bishops, clergymen and laymen, hails with joy the great peace manifesto which your majesty has issued. We earnestly hope that the conference may result in a reduction of the enormous armaments, which are a burden on the people, and in the establishment of some method of judicial arbitration for the settlement of international difficulties by which may be preserved the principles of equity and right whereon rest the security of states and the welfare of peoples.

"Your majesty's appeal to international discussion will stimulate the consciences of civilized nations, and the inauguration of this noble movement may well be considered a happy presage for the century which is about to open, and marks an epoch in the progress of the world. We earnestly invoke upon it the blessings of Almighty God and pray that it may help greatly to hasten the coming of the Kingdom of the Prince of Peace on Earth."

The letter was agreed to, 270-4.

A further resolution favored instructions to the United States Commissioners to the Czar's conference, favoring the establishment of a permanent international court for the settlement of disputes which may arise between nations. There were objections to this plan and it was tabled.

Rev. B. W. R. Taylor of Los Angeles said that, in view of the action relative to the Czar of Russia, it was eminently proper that the House adopt the pending resolution expressing thanks to Great Britain for the sympathy toward the United States during the recent war with Spain. It was particularly appropriate on this occasion, he said, while an eminent Englishchurchman, the Dean of Hereford, was present. Mr. Taylor referred to the satisfaction expressed by President McKinley at the course of Great Britain during the recent war period. After some spirited controversy, the resolution was then adopted. t was as follows:

"Resolved, That this General Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church places on record its sense of deep gratification at the many manifestations of friendly feeling to our Nation which have been so freely and cordially shown by the government and empire of Great Britain in the late war with Spain, and expresses the sincere hope that the time may speedily arrive when these two great nations of the Anglo-Saxon family, the United States of America and the British Empire, shall stand together in defense of the rights and liberties of mankind, and for the promotion of Christian civilization among the nations of the earth."

SUPERVISORS HAVE THE RIGHT OF APPOINTMENT.

The Board of Supervisors held an adjourned meeting this morning with all members present. The following applications for relief were received and disposed of: Mrs. Georgia Point of 1890 William street was, at the request of Mitchell, referred to the Committee of the Whole. Roeth stated that Mr. and Mrs. Clark of No. 3 Telegraph avenue had applied to him for assistance, and as it was a case of urgent necessity asked that the matter be referred at once. The matter was referred to Roeth.

A communication from the Southern Pacific Company forfeiting its franchise on the Webster street bridge was received and placed on file.

Mitchell called attention to the fact that the removal of the company's watchman from the bridge would necessitate the appointment of an assistant bridge tender, and he moved that Chester Parker be appointed at a salary of $60 a month.

Roeth wanted to know why they needed an assistant, and it was shown to his satisfaction that one man could not handle the bridge alone. The appointment of Parker was then approved.

The Clerk was instructed to notify the railroad company that a man had been employed and would be ready to relieve its employe on Monday.

A resolution accepting the abandonment by the Southern Pacific Company of the right, privilege and franchise to maintain and operate a railroad over Webster street bridge was adopted.

A motion by Roeth was then adopted instructing the County Surveyor to prepare plans and specifications and estimated cost of preparing the Alice street bridge for use during the time required to reconstruct the Webster street bridge. The estimates are to be presented to the Board Monday, October 24th.

Roeth stated that M. F. Tarpey, chairman of the Union Campaign Committee, was present earlier in the day, but as he could not wait till the meeting had placed a communication in his (Roeth's) hands to be read to the Board. He then read the communication as follows:

TARPEY'S LETTER.

"Pursuant to authority vested in me by a formal resolution of the Union Campaign Committee, a copy of which, duly authenticated by the secretary, is hereto appended and made a part hereof, I most respectfully submit the following list of appointments to your honorable body as the choice of the Democratic and Union forces of this county for election officers to represent said party in the respective election booths at the election to take place November 8th, 1898, with a request for their appointment. Very respectfully submitted, "M. F. TARPEY,

"Chairman Union Campaign Committee."

The following is a copy of the resolution: "At a meeting of the Union Campaign Committee held in Oakland, Alameda county, California, October 17th, 1898, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

"Resolved, That M. F. Tarpey, the chairman of this committee, be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to represent this committee before the Board of Supervisors of Alameda county, State of California, in the matter of appointments of election officers to represent said parties in polling places in this county on November 8th, 1898, and that said M. F. Tarpey is fully authorized and empowered to speak and act for the said parties in all matters pertaining to said election officers which is now under consideration or may hereafter arise.

"W. H. CHRISTIE,

"Secretary Union Campaign Committee."

Roeth then submitted the lists to the secretary of the Board, and said he would like an opinion from the District Attorney as to what course the Board should pursue.

Chairman Talcott said as it was a matter of considerable importance he thought it would be well for the Board to refer the matter to the District Attorney to report later in the day.

District Attorney Snook stated that he was prepared and could enlighten Roeth at the present time. He said it was purely a matter of policy so far as the Board was concerned. He said it was the duty of the Board to select the election board from among all parties, but there was no law which provided a method, although it might be good policy for this body to confer with the leaders of the several parties.

He then read a section from the Code covering this point, which says that any party casting 5 per cent of the vote cast in the county is entitled to representation on the election board.

Roeth made the point that, in making up their lists, the Board of Supervisors, with all the knowledge they had before them, believed they had legally distributed all the offices among the parties entitled to representation. This being the case, he wanted to know who had the authority to question the right of any man appointed by the Board to serve. Who was to say these men were not Democrats or Republicans?

District Attorney Snook said that was a matter for the courts alone to decide, as the courts alone could positively ascertain the party affiliations of a man.

Replying to a question from Roeth as to whether a County Central Committee had any more authority in this matter than an individual, Snook replied that it had not.

On motion, Tarpey's communication was received and placed on file.

Upon examination of the lists prepared for the various precincts after the Board had adjourned, it was found that in a great many instances the names submitted by Tarpey were already on the Board's list. It seemed to be the opinion of the individual members of the Board that no changes would be made.

Chairman Talcott spoke of one instance where, if he had accepted the name suggested by Tarpey, there would have been trouble. In one of his precincts there are two saloon keepers who are continually fighting each other. Tarpey's list contained the name of one of these, and Talcott said to appoint one and not the other would precipitate a row. He therefore had put another man on instead.

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ACTIVE WORK OF THE POLITICIANS.

Republican Nominees Have Completed the County Pilgrimage.

Rate Regulations to Be Tested in Court---Meetings Planned.

Just eighteen days intervene before the final contest at the polls, which will determine who will be the officers to conduct the affairs of the State and county. As the 8th of November steadily approaches, the active campaign work increases and the already tired politicians are burnishing their weapons for the final grand hurricane finish. This has been a very trying campaign, inasmuch as the work outlined requires constant rustling, first from one center to the other.

The Republican nominees have all done good work and very few have failed to attend all the county meetings. Now they are on the home stretch. To-night they appear at Alvarado, tomorrow evening at San Lorenzo and then the eastern portion of the county will have been well covered. Fruitvale, Alameda and the other near by towns and suburbs will be the principal working places after Friday evening.

On Tuesday night, October 25th, there will be a joint meeting of the regular Seventh Ward Republican Club and the Young Men's Republican Club from the same ward. This will be held in the hall, 1218 Twenty-third avenue, and will undoubtedly be largely attended. The Republican nominees are to speak at Fruitvale on that evening and will thus have an opportunity of addressing the Seventh warders also.

BENNETT'S "CHALLENGE."

One of the amusing features of the campaign was the challenge issued by J. E. Bennett to Howard Wright. It reads as follows:

"BERKELEY, Cal., Oct. 19, 1898.

"Howard E. Wright, Esq., 1419 Eighth avenue, Oakland—Dear Sir: As a candidate for the Assembly in the Fifty-first Assembly District, I respectfully invite you, nominee for the same office, to discuss with me the question, "Why should I be returned to the Assembly?" Such discussion to take place at Golden Sheaf Hall, Berkeley, on the evening of Monday, Oct. 24, 1898.

"Very respectfully,
"JOHN E. BENNETT."

Last Monday evening Bennett had the hall lit up and there was in attendance "a large and enthusiastic audience," composed of five women, twelve men and four boys. This was on the 17th. Though dated the 19th, Bennett's "challenge" was posted evidently as early as the 14th and the date of the debate was set for the 24th.

Bennett's idea of time and the fitness of things in general is, to say the least, peculiar, for he announced that this (the Monday evening in question) was the time set for the debate. After regretting the absence of Assemblyman Wright Bennett launched forth in a tirade of insinuations concluding by handing himself a few bouquets. Now, as he meets his associates in Berkeley, he wonders why they smile. The challenge was just one week ahead of time, yet he does not seem to see the joke.

THE REGISTRATION CASE.

The Democrats are now making a campaign against the reopening of registration, which under a recent decision of Judge Prewitt, is authorized. Nearly every county in the State has followed the same course, as has Alameda, but it probably remains for the Democrats of this county to bring about a test case to settle the question of the legality of the proceeding. The Democrats are afraid of the Republican majority in this county, and they realize that if all the citizens registered after the first time registration closed, are disfranchised the vote against them will be lessened.

M. F. Tarpey, chairman of the Democratic County Central Committee, with R. M. Fitzgerald, yesterday had a conference with District Attorney Snook, at which the matter was discussed. It was agreed to arrange a test case. This will be presented to both the Alameda County Superior Court and the State Supreme Court with the understanding that this is a case of special urgency, and it can thus be forced to an early determination.

In discussing the matter County Clerk Jordan said:

"In reopening the register of Alameda county I did so acting under a decision from Judge Prewitt of Placer county. He held that where a new register was not ordered, and where only additions were made to an already existing register that registration should remain open until fifteen days before election. There being no decision of the Supreme Court upon this point, and the decision of Judge Prewitt being the highest decision that I could obtain, I stood upon that.

"If there should be any decision later from the Supreme Court that this reopening of the register was illegal, I have kept all of the new registrations separate and apart from the main register, and I shall not issue them to the printer. There is only one point in the law that seems to oppose this decision of Judge Prewitt, and that is that the law states that the copy for the printed register must be furnished to the printer twenty-five days before election, where Judge Prewitt holds that it can be kept open until fifteen days before election, so that the time conflicts. I would like to see a decision of the Supreme Court and would abide by it."

CLUB MEETINGS.

The Army and Navy Republican League will meet this evening in Becker's Hall. Addresses will be heard from candidates and others. The League has on hand a number of Gage and Neff buttons, as well as a lot of Republican literature to distribute.

The Fifth Ward Republican Club will hold a very interesting session Friday evening in the headquarters of the Young Men's Republican League on Washington near Fourteenth streets. At this time the results of the literary and musical prize contests will be made known and the prizes distributed. A programme has been arranged as follows: Opening address, George C. Pardee; address by the judges of the contests, Professor McChesney and Professor Markham; first prize, campaign song, by Robert Whitaker, sung by the campaign quartette; first prize poem essay, by Jack London, first prize prose essay, Henry Goodsell; second prize campaign song, by H. W. Anderson, sung by campaign quartette; second prize prose essay, by Jack London; second prize poem essay, by H. W. Anderson; first prize cartoon, by Mrs. Henry Goodsell; brief addresses by candidates.

All Republican leagues and clubs are invited to be the guests of the Fifth Ward Club.

GOOD GOVERNMENT CLUB.

The Forty-ninth Assembly District Good Government Club met last evening and listened to remarks from candidates and others.

Joseph McCall was one of the speakers, and he paid his attention to the Independents, saying they had no reason to come out against the regular Republican nominees, especially was this so with regard to the candidacy of Supervisor W. H. Church, who he declared, was "true blue and a thorough man." He closed his address urging the members of the club to support Mr. Church, Johnston for State Printer, Frank Leavitt for Senator and Joe Kelley for the Assembly.

Joe Hurst, J. J. Knowles, John Stetson, Dan Doody, G. H. Reader, Dr. Ambrose Sander and E. Lynch all spoke and each one urged support for Supervisor Church.

The Forty-ninth Assembly District Club met last evening in Hansen's Hall, West Oakland and listened to some interesting addresses. Oscar Lewis spoke at length on Republican doctrine and also took occasion to heartily endorse the candidacy of Frank W. Leavitt for the Senate.

Frank Barnett followed on similar lines, after which Frank Leavitt spoke briefly, but forcibly. A. A. McKeen, John Teague, Mortimer Smith and others also entertained with short speeches.

THE INDEPENDENTS.

The Independent nominees held a meeting last evening in Enterprise Hall Twenty-second and Grove streets. Wycliffe Matthews called the gathering to order and John Trotter was chosen chairman. The speakers were H. G. Walker, O. A. Lane, A. K. Grim, C. W. Craft, W. Matthews, and several others. All the talks were upon the same lines as have been heard before.

FRIENDS DID NOT COME TO HELP HIM.

James N. Meadors Was Left Alone in Court.

The testimony in the case of James N. Meadors, accused of murder, is closed.

In the able defense that has been made by Attorney Eugene Deuprey, one notable fact has stood forth. There have been no friends to work for Meadors. The defendant alone testified in his own behalf. Upon his own story will his fate pend. Few cases in the local courts have been so defenseless as this one.

With Attorney Deuprey's announcement that he had no further evidence to offer in favor of his client, the arguments commenced. No limit was fixed by the Court. Prosecuting Attorney Melvin, who has conducted a most vigorous prosecution, opened the debate upon which will depend so largely the final verdict. The lobby was crowded to its limit with spectators, and the number is constantly swelling in anticipation of hearing the eloquent plea of Attorney Eugene Deuprey for his soldier client.

This is not Meadors' first trial for murder. In Arizona he laid low an uncle who crossed his path, but a jury found him not guilty of crime. However Attorney Melvin, in his argument attached much significance to this fact, and founded therein a strong basis for his theory which is now being presented to the jury. The State through its attorney will ask for capital penalty. The defense, which will be represented by Attorneys Deuprey, and Melvin and Chapman, will seek to reduce the character of the crime at the utmost to manslaughter, but it's hope is to justify it entirely.

It is hardly probable that nightfall will witness the close of argument. It is almost certain, however, that another day will bring a verdict in the case.

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Three Men in the Local Postoffice Have Been Retired.

Postmaster Friend Proposes That the Men in His Office Shall Strictly Attend to Their Duty.

Postmaster Friend has signalized his assuming control of affairs in the local postoffice by the announcement that three members of the letter carrier force have severed relations with Uncle Sam and will be no longer on the pay roll of the United States Government.

The men who will no longer wear cadet gray uniforms are David P. Hoge, letter collector; David Joseph Healy, letter carrier; and John E. Fox, substitute letter carrier.

Some of these men have been in the employ of the Government for some time. When Postmaster Friend wa asked this morning for the cause of the men's retiring, he declined to offer any explanation save that the men had retired or resigned.

The places made vacant by the resignations will be filled by the following: eGorge C. Lanfere, Alfred H. Wolff, and Albert Markley.

That there is something, however, behind the resignations may be inferred from the remarks made later by Mr. Friend, who has entered upon the discharge of his duties with a great deal of energy.

"I want to say," said Mr. Friend, "that there need be no surprise over anything that may have happened in the way of miscarriage of mail in the last two weeks. I also expect to have about me a carrier force for the city of Oakland as worthy of respect as any person who wears the finest kind of broadcloth. There is no reason why the credit of the carriers of the office should not be equal to that of any other man. They are nearly all getting $560 a year. The credit of the carriers of Oakland has been impaired by the misconduct of a few who would not pay their debts, and while I'm in office there will be nothing of the kind tolerated."

Mr. Friend was then asked how the affairs of the office were progressing, and especially on the outside in the sale of stamps.

He declared that, so far as he knew everything was in a satisfactory condition. "All my efforts," he said, "have been devoted to straightening out the inside of the office without striving to look too closely after outside affairs.

"One innovation which will be made, however, after the first of next January will be the substitution of a cap for a helmet by the letter carriers. The matter has been left to the men, and they have approved of it. The hat will be of the same style worn by the letter carriers of San Francisco. It is flat with a visor, with a lower rim of black and an upper surface of cadet gray. This will set off the men on the force in an excellent manner, whereas the helmets are almost unbearable.

The changes which have recently gone into effect in the money-order system of the country have finally reached this city, and Postmaster Friend is decidedly in favor of the change.

Under the new regulations, a money order may be drawn at the office at which it is issued, that is, where the place is not a "limited money-order" office. The advice of a money order so drawn, until payment has been made, shall be filed with unfiled advices.

BAD WEATHER STILL ATTENDS THE JUBILEE.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

CHICAGO, Oct. 20.—The weather for to-day, the last day of Chicago's peace jubilee, was even worse, if possible, than that of the preceding days. Rain fell fitfully, and a cold breeze blew constantly. Preceding the chief vent, the railroad employee's reception to the President, Mr. McKinley spent the time quietly at the home of Captain McWilliams, receiving only a few callers, and being engaged principally with Assistant Secretary Cortilyou. At 10:30 A. H. the President was driven to the First Regiment armory, where, together with Mayor Harrison, he was received by a large gathering of railroad employees.

The mass meeting was in the nature of a formal opening of the three days' conference of railway employees called to draft measures for National and State legislation applying to organized labor. In the gathering were represented the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, the Order of Railway Conductors, and the Railway Telegraphers' Union. The ladies' auxiliary in each of the orders assisted in the reception to the President.

A throng gathered outside the armory two hours before to cheer Mr. McKinley upon his arrival. Mr. McKinley's party was conducted to the first balcony, from which he looked out upon the thousands of railway men. The galleries overhead were filled with men, women and children.

The enthusiastic reception accorded the President upon his arrival at the armory was sufficient assurance that the railway men appreciated his presence.

The armory was crowded when the exercises were opened with prayer by Dr. Emil G. Hirsch. Chairman J. H. Walsh of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers presided and delivered the opening address. He introduced Mayor Harrison, who delivered the address of welcome to President McKinley. The President's response was listened to attentively, and frequently interrupted with applause.

Judge Barton Paine was one of the chief speakers at the meeting. He said:

"What events in the history of the country more fittingly illustrate the dignity of labor than this great meeting and the presence here of the President of the United States? Labor is the life of our people and the basis of our civilization and progress. There is no room under our system of government for a discussion of the so-called classes and the masses; here the son of the artisan, the farmer, and the day laborer may in a single generation reasonbly hold any of the great offices in the gift of our people, and may become one of the wealthy of the land. That this not only may happen but has happened so often as to cease to be matter for comment, we all know.

"Your organization has constantly refused to lend itself to the aid of visionary and utopian schemes which constantly appear and reappear and are forgotten. No man is a friend of labor who is not willing on all occasions to tell the truth in the discussion of public questions. No part of our people are more interested in and dependent upon a stable and just government than the persons called the laboring men. The rich and powerful can protect themselves, the poor need the protecting hand of stable institutions, and the demagogue should find no place."

Other speakers on the programme were George R. Peck, E. E. Clark of the Order of Railway Conductors, F. P. Sargent of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, P. P. Morris of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, and P. A. Arthur of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

An informal reception for the railway men was held by the President after the addresses. Mr. McKinley was stationed in an enclosure on the first balcony above the entrance, where the railway men filed by singly. As they came up to the President one by one the extended hands were grasped by him. The men were all admitted into the armory by ticket. The distinguished guests from Washington were present and composed the group which surrounded the President on the balcony.

After the reception, the President addressed the railroad men, eleciting the warmest applause. The railroad reception at the armory was President McKinley's last appearance in public in Chicago during the jubilee week.

McKINLEY'S SPEECH.

President McKinley spoke as follows:

"I congratulate myself on having the pleasure of meeting with this great railway organization. I have had in the last ten days many most pleasing and interesting experiences as I have journeyed through the country, but I assure you that not one of them has given me greater pleasure than to meet the women and men connected with the great railroads of the country. (Applause.)

"It is fortunate that this great body of representative men and women has assembled in this city at a time when the people were celebrating the suspension of hostilities, with early hope of an honorable, just and triumphant peace. The railroad men of the country have always been for the flag of the country and in every crisis of our national history, in war and in peace, the men of your great organization have been loyal and faithful to every duty and obligation. Yours is at once a profession of great risk and of grave responsibilities. I know of no occupation in the sphere of human endeavor which carries with it greater obligations or higher responsibilities than the profession of railroad men. You carry the commerce of the country, you carry the rich treasures of the country from the Atlantic to the Pacific, and you carry daily and hourly the freightage of humanity; they trust to you, your integrity, your intelligence, and your fidelity for the safe carrying of their lives; and I congratulate the country from the bottom of my heart that in this great system, so interwoven with the everyday life of the citizens of the Republic, we have such splendid characters and such high intelligence.

"I bring to you to-day not only my good will, but I bring to you the good will and respect of seventy millions of American citizens. Your work is before a critical audience; you go in and out every day before your countrymen, and you have ever deserved from your country the unstinted praise given you. The virtue of the people lies at the foundation of the Republic; the power of the people is in the American fireside.

"I thank you, my fellow citizens, for your cordial greeting, and I congratulate you on the evidences of returning prosperity everywhere. What you, what we all want is business prosperity. When you have that you have something to do; when you have it not, then you are idle. There are few empties now in the United States. There are few men not employed now. The more you see the freight car, the oftener you see the pay car. I am very glad to observe that the First Illinois Regiment is in your presence to-day. (Applause.) That gallant regiment, made up of the volunteers from the homes of Chicago, took their lives into their own hands and went to Santiago to fight the battle of liberty against oppression. I am glad to have this opportunity to meet and greet them and to congratulate and thank them in the name of the American people. And now, having said this much, I hope you know that I will carry from this place, from this audience, from these warm-hearted men and women, the pleasantest memory of my long trip through the West."

At the conclusion of President McKinley's remarks the audience broke into wild cheering, which lasted fully five minutes. The Presidential party then left the hall.

The Wrong Word.

To the Editor Tribune—Dear Sir: A printer's error in this morning's Call does Judge Allen an injustice. This sentence appears in a police court item, "As the prisoner was not near to the court he was sent downstairs for three days. The item was written, "As the prisoner was not NEW etc" which is vastly different.

STUART W. BOOTH.

SAYS HIS LIFE DEPENDS ON THE COURT'S DECREE

Remarkable Threat Made by Attorney Blandin to His Rival.

Declared That He Would Drown Himself if He Lost a Case in Court.

If the words of Charles F. Blandin be true, his fate hinges on the outcome of the suit of Antonio Beronio against Sara T. Ingalls, Maria Moore Nagle and himself, that is being tried before Judge Hall today.

"If I lose this suit I will throw myself into the bay," said Attorney Blandin as he conversed with Robert Edgar, opposing counsel.

This is not Blandin's first appearance in court. As incorporator of the Jupiter Consolidated Deep Blue Gravel Hydraulic Mining Company with a capital stock of $21,000,000, he first came into prominence. And later as the assignee of the estate of Sara T. Ingalls, an insolvent, he also gained notoriety. Judge Greene expelled him from his charge and appointed S. F. Daniels in his stead.

The action brought today has a remarkable basis as was shown in the course of the trial this morning.

Several years ago in consideration of $3,000 worth of stock in his huge company, Mrs. Sarah Ingalls gave to Blandin a $3,000 mortgage upon her Berkeley home. Subsequently Blandin released this mortgage upon the stipulation that she should give a mortgage upon the same property for $2,000 to Antonio Beronio. According to Attorney Edgar's statement today, Blandin appropriated this $2,000 to his own use, and then secured a third mortgage himself from Mrs. Ingalls for $1,000 upon the balance of the property. Antonio Beranio now seeks to foreclose upon the property, and he is opposed by three defendants who are each at loggerheads. Blandin and his aged client, Mrs. Nagle, who together composed the famous Canfield Canal Coal Company, stand together, but Mrs. Ingalls is not of the same band.

Blandin's latest novelty bears his own name—The Blandin Investment Company. It is formed for the purpose of selling the old Blythe estate, to which Blandin claims to have a deed of ownership which is on file in San Francisco.

Upon the witness stand today Mrs. Maria Nagle stated that she met Blandin in Boston eight years ago. He has since been her business manager. At that time she averred she was worth more than $100,000. Today she is penniless, living upon the wages earned by daily labor as a servant. Mrs. Nagle testified that she was secretary and Blandin was president of the Canfield Coal Company, and she invested money in it. But when Attorney Robinson commenced to unveil under examination the history of this concern, Blandin exclaimed:

"I object, your Honor, to this exposure of the records of the Canfield Coal Company."

Attorney Robinson replied, saying: "I believe it was a bogus concern, and can prove that it never existed. There is nothing to show that it ever existed except the word of mouth of these two people."

The court sustained the objection.

AGUINALDO'S AUTHORITY IS BUT NOMINAL.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—A dispatch to the Herald from Manila says:

The insurgent General Pio Pilar has agreed to evacuate Paco, the last suburb of Manila held by the Filipinos, on October 25th. This completes the American conquest of the city.

The last rebel has left Cavite. The Americans now hold Cavite and Manila, the rest of the island of Luzon being in the hands of the insurrectionist factions.

How little power Aguinaldo possesses is shown by his refusal to grant passes to visit the interior, on the ground that the northern provinces are held by General Makaboulas, who is in revolt against the Malolos government.

Aguinaldo has ordered the release of Spanish civilian prisoners taken at Iloilo.

Steamers under the American flag are forbidden to load by the native authorities unless they pay a tax of 5 per cent ad valorem on the cargo and 20 per cent on their freight to the local Governor. A large stock of tobacco was seized at Cagayan from the Compania Generale and from insurance factories. Aguinaldo refused to return the prize, as he requires funds. He is preparing for the possible return of the islands to Spanish rule and will entertain no proposals from Spain. Every native is sworn in to join his ranks in such an event.

Of the southern islands, Mindanao would not combine against Spain.

There are two cases of smallpox this week, although the health of the troops shows a slight improvement, there being fewer cases of typhoid fever and dysentery. There is still need for more women nurses.

Red Cross workers, after some slight hitches, are starting an ably managed auxiliary hospital for serious cases, likewise a hospital for the California troops. They contemplate opening still another home for convalescents. Drugs, food and supplies in the Red Cross Society's hands have been given to ailing soldiers without stint, as the necessities of the situation demanded. There is great need now for money to aid in the extension of the work, and the fact cannot be too strongly impressed upon the people.

The British warships Powerful and Rattler have been ordered to Hong Kong, it is said, on account of the number of cases of malarial fever aboard. There have been three deaths on the Powerful.

COUNCILMAN WOODWARD DESERVES CREDIT.

Editor Tribune: Now that the improvement of Lake Merritt and the establishment of a park is an assured fact we ought not to forget those who have been public spirited enough to give their time and work for the cause. Of course there are a number of people entitled to credit in this matter. However, I want to say a few words in behalf of Councilman Woodward. He deserves great credit for the work he has done on behalf of these grand improvements. It was Mr. Woodward who introduced the ordinance in the Council. He attended the meetings of the citizens and made suggestions. He took a personal interest in the matter from the start. Mr. Woodward deserves the commendation of every citizen who is in favor of progress and public improvements.

FIFTH WARDER.

Oakland, October 20, 1898.

FREE CONCERT IN A DRUG STORE.

A free concert will be given by the California Mandolin Club Saturday evening at the Owl Drug Company's store on Broadway and Tenth street. Every one is cordially invited to attend.

BUSINESS MEN AVERSE TO WAR.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

PARIS, Oct. 20.—The drift of opinion on the Fashoda question among commercial men in Paris was shown by a resolution adopted this afternoon by the Municipal Council of this city, urging the French government, without sacrificing the material interests of the country, to use its utmost efforts to avert a conflict with Great Britain over the dispute.

CONTRACTORS FIND A CAN OF GOLD.

Yesterday afternoon, while laborers were dredging for the site of the foundation of a warehouse on Washington street, near the water front, San Francisco, they upturned a can of gold coins. The can was broken by the shovels and the coin was spilled out on the ground. There was a scramble for the yellow pieces. Contractor McCracken and E. Green, both of whom reside in this city secured about $200. Several laborers secured various smaller sums.

BLACKBURN CASE IN NOVEMBER

The case of L. F. Blackburn, charged with assault with a deadly weapon, was continued in the Police Court this morning until November Nth, when it will be tried by a jury.

THREATENED WITH APPENDICITIS.

Fred Hammerly, foreman at the California Door Company in West Oakland, is illat his home, 326 Fifth street, and is threatened with appendicitis. He is attended by Dr. Eaton.

Treasury Balance.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—To-day's statement of the conditions of the Treasury shows available cash balance $303,244,255; gold reserve, $240,770,898.

Big Fire in Dallas

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 20.—A special from Dallas, Texas, to the Post-Dispatch says: The extensive plant of the Texas Drug Company, in this city, burned today. Loss estimated at $500,000.

The Allen Case.

In the Police Court this morning the case of W. H. Allen, who is charged with receiving goods under false pretenses, in connection with a deal in the Winters Hotel, was continued until Saturday next.

New Bedsteads With Wire Mattresses

Good and cheap, at H. Schellhaas' store, 408 Eleventh st.

BORN.

MAISONNEUVE—In this city, October 18, 1898, to the wife of A. Maissonneuve, a son.

DIED.

YOUNGBERG—In this city, October 19, 1898, Mrs. E. H. Youngberg, mother of Mrs. Charles H. Akins.

Vaults and Monuments.

B. J. Barrett, studio Ocean View, postoffice address Station L, San Francisco, is prepared to execute all orders at lowest price. Leave orders with G. Clark, 908 Broadway, Oakland.

C. W. Kinsey, Dealer in Fine New Style, Household Furniture, Carpets, Ranges, Etc.

"Modern" furniture bought, exchanged or sold on installment payments. We give "green trading stamps." 462-464 Thirteenth street.

The Comstock Exchange.

A quiet place for gentlemen. Best wines, liquors and cigars. Fourteen years established. T. E. Finch, prop'r, S. W. cor. Broadway and Sixth.

The Oakland Grotto

Is a quiet place for gentlemen; finest liquors and cigars; club room; opening on July 30, 1898. Collier & Company, proprietor. Northeast corner of Eighth and Broadway.

The Hammam departments for ladies and gentlemen at the Piedmont Baths are the most elaborate and luxuriously fitted up of any this side of Chicago. Take Piedmont cars.

A Buggy Break Down.

Occurred on Broadway the other day; but there wasn't a scratch, because it had been painted by Kellogg, the carriage painter, 321 Eighth street. Tel. 2283 red.

GERMEA

FOR BREAKFAST.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

COSMOPOLITAN MUTUAL BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION (A CORPORATION), Plaintiff,
vs.
KATIE E. HOWELL and JOSEPH L. HOWELL, Defendants.
No. 15,327. Dept. 1.

Order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, of the State of California, on the 12th day of October, A. D. 1898, in the above entitled action, wherein the Cosmopolitan Mutual Building and Loan Association (a corporation), the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against Katie E. Howell and Joseph L. Howell, defendants, on the 6th day of October, A. D. 1898, for the sum of fourteen hundred ninety-one and 50-100 dollars, in United States gold coin, together with interest, costs and attorney fees, aggregating with said principal the sum of $1,646.65; which said judgment and decree were on the 12th day of October, A. D. 1898, recorded in Judgment Book No. 31 of said Court, at page 22, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the northwesterly line of Thirteenth avenue, distant thereon fifty (50) feet southwesterly from the southwestern line of East 21st street, and running thence southwesterly along said line of 13th avenue fifty (50) feet, thence at right angles northwesterly one hundred and fifty (150) feet; thence at right angles northeasterly fifty (50) feet, and thence at right angles southeasterly one hundred and fifty (150) feet to the point of commencement. Being portion of block number 127 as per Higley's Map of Clinton, of record in Liber B of Deeds, at page 537, in the office of the County Recorder of Alameda county.

Public notice is hereby given that on

SATURDAY THE 12TH DAY OF NOVEMBER 1898

At 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, in front of the Broadway entrance of the Court House of the county of Alameda, in the city of Oakland, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for gold coin of the United States.

Oakland, Cal., October 18, 1898.

CLARENCE CROWELL,
A Commissioner appointed by said Superior Court.
S. E. McKEE, Attorney for Plaintiff.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Chris. Streitberger, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Chris. Streitberger, deceased, and for the issuance to John Schneider and George Metzger of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 31st day of October, A. D. 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court-room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the city of Oakland, in the county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, Oct. 20, 1898.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
F. D. ADAMS, Deputy Clerk.
J. H. SMITH and GEO. E. DE GOLIA, Att'ys for Petitioners.

Too Late for Classification

TWO LARGE, sunny furnished rooms for ladies or gents; both closets; rent $7 and $8 per month. 515 Tenth st. n.

A COMPETENT GIRL wishes situation to do general housework. 217 Fifth. h.

NEAT, competent Scotch girl desires situation for second work and waiting; good references. W. P., this office. h

HOME BOARD, home comforts, sunny single rooms or en suite. 1425 Franklin. q

FOR SALE—Albert Schmidt, 1122 Thirteenth ave., East Oakland, offers for sale for a short period, at $1,800 cash, two houses of five rooms each; with lot 50x150 feet; within easy distance to station; fine neighborhood and street work complete; a bargain to home seekers or investors.

BEDSTEAD and mattress $1.25, and a lot of other furniture just as cheap; call at once if you want a bargain; any time till 8 P. M. No. 1223 Broadway, opposite Postoffice. x

ON IMPROVED Oakland property; any sum, large or small. Hugh M. Cameron, Broker, 479 Ninth st., Oakland. z

BARGAIN SEEKERS for a lot of new solid oak furniture—rockers, dining chairs, tables and chamber sets—right out of the factory, at rock bottom prices; open evenings. 1223 Broadway, opposite Postoffice. j

Tribune Branch Offices.

For the convenience of those desiring to insert advertisements to appear in THE CLASSIFIED PAGE, Branch Offices have been established at the following places:

MISS M. E. BURDICK'S Notion Store, P. O. building, 2962 Telegraph avenue.

GARRETT & TAGGART'S Drug Store, junction of San Pablo avenue and Fourteenth street.

JACKSON'S Pharmacy, 1778 Seventh street, West Oakland.

A. L. LEBER'S Drug and Stationery Store, 932-934 Seventh street.

VOICE & KOERTNER'S Grocery, Thirty-fourth street and Telegraph avenue.

WENTWORTH'S Drug Store, cor. Thirteenth avenue and Fourteenth street, East Oakland.

L. J. WESTLAKE'S Emeryville Pharmacy, San Pablo and Park Avenues.

GENERAL NOTICES.

HOTEL VENDOME, formerly known as the Girard Hotel, has changed hands and is now under new management; first class meals served at 25 cts., or five tickets $1. Proprietors, N., L. S. L. and C. B. Pfister, 955½ Washington st., also 510 Ninth st; dining parlor, entrance Ninth st. b

SAVE YOUR CLOTHES!—Suits cleaned and pressed, 75c; monthly contract (one suit each week), $1.25; first class tailoring. Union Clothing Renovatory, 401 Tenth; phone main 675. b

CAMPAIGN signs a specialty; also fence, sign and carriage painting in first-class style. J. Altendorf and F. Smith, 566 Eighteenth street. b

CENTRAL CYCLERY, 407 14th, near Narrow Gauge depot. Wheels bought, sold, exchanged, repaired. Expert teacher b

BIRDS and animals preserved and mounted to order. 957½ Clay st. b

CASH REGISTERS and typewriters repaired at the Electric Store, 506 Thirteenth near Washington. b

CONSULTATION FREE — Successful treatment. Dr. A. Shirk, 58 San Pablo ave., Oakland, Cal. b

COLEMAN, 471 Twelfth, buys, sells or exchanges household goods; highest cash price paid; cheapest place to buy. b

T. J. CLOONEY has removed his coal, hay and grain business to 1614 Seventh st., near Peralta st.; goods sold at lowest market rates; all orders promptly attended to; tel. 566 black. b

C. GREGORY, upholsterer, 1647 Market st.; mattresses made over; furniture repaired. b

HOMELIKE MEALS 15c; chicken dinners, 25c, Thursdays, Sundays. 472 Ninth. b

HIGHEST PRICE paid for furniture and curios at 752 Seventh. b

LADIES Co-operative Aid Association restaurant, 521 Thirteenth, opens October 1st by the original managers. b

FURS—F. A. Schaeffer, practical furrier 224 San Pablo ave., does all kinds of work; give him a call. b

BUSINESS PERSONALS

A HEALING MIRACLE.

"After Dr. MacLennan laid his hands on me I realized that I was suddenly healed by some mysterious power of an infirmity I had suffered from for 15 years."—Ann Alexander. Dr. MacLennan cures where medical art fails, or no fee. 100 Haight st., S. F.

BRING in your upholstery work, furniture repairing or refinishing, to 916 Franklin st. Lewis can fix you up in good shape.

WRINKLES removed; treatment will convince; also shampooing; will go out. 813 Clay.

LEONARD S. CLARK, counsellor-at-law. Consultation free evenings at residence, 551 Jackson. c

TRUNKS 25c, furniture moving a specialty. American Express Co., 474 Tenth street. c

GO TO LEDERER and have your hair dressed just to suit you; 25c only; hair restored to its natural color, $1.50 up; good switches, $1; finest, $3.50; extra, $5. Open Sunday, 9 to 12. G. Lederer, 111 Stockton st., San Francisco.

MRS. JEPSON tells past, present and future; ladies 50c; gents $1. 778 Twenty-second st. bet. West and Brush sts.

P. J. ROBINSON, professional piano tuner. 506 Thirteenth st., Oakland, Cal.

FURNITURE WANTED — We will give you more cash for your furniture and household goods than you can get anywhere. J. A. Munro & Co., 1517-19 Park st., Alameda, general auctioneers. Tel. red 423.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT.

THE ONLY ROOM RENTING AGENCY IN OAKLAND, E. O. Farley, 972 Broadway, corner Tenth; rooms of all kinds in all parts of the city at all prices. n

IF YOU are looking for an elegant suite of rooms and a lovely view, come to Hotel Brunswick.

FINE furnished rooms for offices and housekeeping, $10. 1010½ Washington. n

FOR RENT — Sunny front room; furnished or unfurnished. 586 Charter or Twenty-second st. n

COME to Mrs. Lamb, at the Hotel Brunswick, if you want comfortable furnished rooms, suites or single.

FURNISHED and unfurnished rooms. 575 Thirteenth st. n

IF YOU are looking for sunny rooms, the best and cheapest in town, call at Brunswick Hotel. Mrs. Lamb. n

FOR RENT—Nice pleasant sunny front suite, strictly nice family hotel. Terms moderate. Brunswick Hotel. n

COLONIAL, 2d & Broadway. Select family house, rooms and board $4 up. n

NICE ROOMS $3 up; also housekeeping rooms; 635 Twenty-fourth st. n

ROOMS convenient to local, $4 per month up, including bath. 816 Clay. n

ROOMS and table board, private family, near Park and Observatory; 572 Tenth street. n

VERY desirable furnished rooms, gas and bath, near Narrow Gauge depot, 1260 Franklin. n

LOVELY rooms in desirable and quiet location; reasonable. 1352 Harrison. n

FURNISHED suits $10 and $12. Single $4 to $8. Transients solicited. Housekeeping suits, fine. Oriental, 864 Washington street. n

DESIRABLE rooms with privilege of light housekeeping; 1466 Alice st. n

SUNNY ROOMS or offices; apartment house; bath; no transient. 1057 Washington. n

FINE furnished rooms, also suites for housekeeping, $10. 1010½ Washington. n

PLEASANT, sunny furnished rooms, with bay window. 567 Eighth st. n

NICELY furnished sunny front room; rent $5. 1251 Clay. n

FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT CONTINUED.

TWO nicely furnished front rooms, with board; private. 1144 Filbert.

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS, sunny and central; low rent. 410½ Tenth. n

FURNISHED sunny rooms for housekeeping. 771 Fifth, near Market station. n

LARGE front room, with grate; also small sunny room, bath. 617 18th. n

$5 UPWARD—Furnished rooms, convenient. 1156 Broadway, cor. Thirteenth. n

TWO LARGE furnished rooms for housekeeping, 619 Nineteenth st. bet. San Pablo and Grove. n

TWO pleasant, sunny rooms, $2; convenient, at 319 Tenth st. n

HOUSEKEEPING rooms, sunny and convenient. 565 Sixteenth st. n

866 EIGHTEENTH—Two or three rooms furnished for housekeeping. n

SINGLE ROOM, $4; partly furnished rooms for housekeeping, $10; first floor and yard, $7. 1453 Broadway. n

SUNNY ROOMS, private family, $6 up 562 Eighth, near Washington. n

SUNNY furnished room $1; unfurnished $2. Ramona, Harrison near 12th. n

SUNNY SUITES, also single rooms. Arlington Hotel, Ninth and Washington; first class table board. n

STRICTLY family housekeeping apartments, gas stoves, Hammond House, 407 San Pablo av. n

GENTLEMAN can find sunny room, quiet family, at 1051 West st. n

FOR RENT FURNISHED— sunny bedroom; rent $5. 1909 West st., near Twenty-eighth. n

FRONT unfurnished or furnished suite for light housekeeping; 418 Twelfth street. n

UNFURNISHED ROOMS TO LET.

$7—THREE sunny rooms, bath; 712 Third bet. Castro and Brush. Apply 476 Eighth. m

THREE large sunny unfurnished rooms for housekeeping. Apply 731 San Pablo ave. m

THREE large, sunny, unfurnished rooms for housekeeping; private family. 966 West st. m

HOUSEKEEPING rooms (unfurnished); bath; low rent; central. 1113 Jefferson. m

ROOMS AND BOARDING.

BRUNSWICK HOTEL — The best and cheapest rooms in town; with or without board; bath and elevator.

HOME BOARD, home comforts, sunny single rooms or en suite. 1425 Franklin. q

OLD gentleman and wife, or two gentlemen, can find room and board in healthful (elevated) location; cars handy. 319 East Twentieth. q

MRS. ROBINSON has opened the Pleasanton at 1162 Washington st.; fine rooms; good day board $4 per week. q

918 TENTH—Home cooking, with or without rooms; near local train. q

LARGE, sunny rooms, also smaller room; table board; at 560 Fourteenth. q

SUNNY front alcove, hot and cold water, excellent board; also large sunny parlor. 1427 Franklin st. q

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FOR RENT—House, 770 Tenth st., near West; nine rooms, bath, laundry and basement; rent low. Koenig & Kroll, 1006 Broadway. l

FINE FLAT, seven rooms with lawn and flowers. 914 Sixteenth st. l

NEW eight room house, lot 150x150; corner Seventh ave. and Twenty-third st.; splendid view; will be ready to occupy on the first of the month. Call and examine the house. Owner G. Barrett, on the place, or P. Kelly, 461 Ninth st. l

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SUNNY modern flat newly painted and papered, bath; 542 Twentieth st. l

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AT 277 Eighth st., upper sunny flat; or will rent two or three rooms; large grounds. o

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FURNISHED FLAT of three rooms, suitable for housekeeping; also other rooms; good location; near cars. Apply 423 Sixth st.

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FOUND—A St. Bernard dog; owner can have same by proving property and paying expenses. Inquire Bradley, 1006½ Webster.

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GRAND ARMY HALL to let. Apply to C. Jurgens, 1116 Broadway.

TO LET—STORES AND OFFICES.

SUNNY OFFICES and rooms to let, with or without board; reasonable rates. 1118 Broadway.

WANTED—HOUSES AND ROOMS

HOUSES WANTED TO RENT—Cottages, flats, dwellings, furnished or unfurnished. Many applications. Bring key and list with us for rent. Laymance Real Estate Company, 460-462 Eighth st. j

WANTED—Three unfurnished rooms for housekeeping; with yard. 34 San Pablo ave.

SITUTIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

SWEDISH GIRL wants position; second, general housework or children; four years' references. 525 Eighth st. h

COMPETENT WOMAN wants position to do housework; good cook; willing to do washing. Address 1565 Chestnut. h

WOMAN wishes sewing in family; children's clothes; also making over a specialty. Mrs. Williams, 1678 Ninth st. h

A RESPECTABLE WOMAN wants situation as cook; excellent baker. Call 811 Washington st. h

A COMPETENT middle aged woman wants work in Almaeda. Address 513 Ninth st. h

A YOUNG WOMAN, speaks French, would like upstairs work and sewing; good seamstress; best references. Address 866 Isabella st., Oakland. h

COMPETENT German girl wants situation to do second work or housework in small family. Call 811 Washington. h

POSITION as bookkeeper or cashier wanted by competent young lady; references. Address 319 East 20th. h

ALBERT PETERSON'S Swedish Employment Agency, 1016 Washington st., furnishes help of both sexes. h

WANTED—By a young girl, place in a family to teach children. Address Miss M. Roberts, P. O. h

RESPECTABLE WOMAN capable of housekeeping wants position in respectable man's home; no objection to child or two; no triflers. Address K., box 4, this office. h

A MIDDLE AGED WOMAN wishes situation in small family; good cook and baker. 811 Washington. h

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FEMALE HELP WANTED.

Advertisements not exceeding fifteen words under the head of "Situations Wanted—Female" will be published in the Tribune free of charge for three times. Any excess will be charged at the Tribune's regular rates—one cent a word for the first insertion and one-half cent a word for each subsequent insertion.

GIRL, about fifteen, to mind baby and assist in light housework. Apply 1216 Campbell. h

WANTED—An apprentice girl, at Dunlap's, rooms 5 and 6, Brunswick Hotel, Ninth and Washington. e

WANTED—Keen, practical business woman. Address L. M., box 5, this office. e

WANTED—An experienced waist hand, at 1365 Castro. e

WANTED—First class cook, wages $30; also competent waitress and cook, $25; references required. Apply 1159 Washington st., Mrs. Marvin's, telephone red 2014.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

MIDDLE AGED German man wants situation as coachman and gardener. Address D. A., box 2, this office.

WANTED — Young man for delivery wagon; one with experience preferred. Vincent's Market, Seventh and Washington.

YOUNG MAN wants to attend school and do chores about house in payment for board and room. Address C. L. G., box 5, this office. g

WANTED—Some light employment; can assist children in common school studies; civil war veteran; willing to do any light work; wages no object; best references. Douglas, 818 Clay st. g

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PARTNER WANTED—A man of means to go into the second hand business with a thorough mechanic, well acquainted with the business, sober and reliable; references. For interview, address H. J. L., box 5, Tribune.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—Light covered spring wagon, suitable for bakery. State lowest cash price. Address, wagon, box 4, this office. j

PASTURAGE.

HOME FOR HORSES — Sulphur Spring Farm, Contra Costa county; horses cared for and fed hay and grain when desired; saddle and driving horses for sale; apply for circular. A. G. Gurnett, 308 Pine st., San Francisco.

OCULISTS.

HAYWARD G. THOMAS, M. D.; office Central Bank building, Fourteenth and Broadway; hours 10 to 4.

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COTTON BROS. & CO., bridge builders and general contractors, engineers and builders of all kinds of bridge work; pile driving and wharf building. 478½ Tenth st., Oakland; telephone 813.

HORSESHOER.

EDMUND GATES — Horse-shoer and blacksmith, San Leandro road, corner High st.; horses properly shod, $1.25; plain shoeing, $1; special attention paid to horses that wear out hind shoes too rapidly; light tire setting, 50c each; new steel buggy tires, per set, $5; all kinds of jobbing and repairing at reasonable rates.

MEDICAL.

DR. WISE (late of Bellevue Hospital, N. Y.), 123 Eddy st., San Francisco; obstetric specialist; chronic and complicated diseases of women positively cured; consult free.

LADIES—For monthly irregularities, etc., use SOSPITA. Circulars at 523 11th.

A TREATMENT that restores all cases of monthly irregularities, from whatever cause, in a few hours; safe and sure at all times when others have failed; kind aid and sympathy; travelers helped instantly; no instruments used; home in confinement; consult free the reliable specialist; pills, $1; self cure, $5. Mrs. Dr. Wyeth, 208 Turk st., nr. Jones, San Francisco.

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A BLESSING to ladies suffering from irregularities and diseases peculiar to their sex; improved method of treatment; never fails; perfectly harmless; free from any bad effects; never makes them sick to make them well; travelers helped immediately; prices to suit the times; home in confinement. Mrs. Davies, 1228 Market st., S. F.; consult free. French regulating pink pills, $2.

DR. C. C. O'DONNELL—Office and residence, 1206 Market st., San Francisco; office hours 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. and 7 to 8 P. M.; particular attention paid to diseases of women and children.

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PROF. J. M. DRACH, teacher violin; lessons at your home, or at Sherman & Clay's music store; hours 2 to 4 P. M. y

LESSONS in Royal Battenberg and other laces, 25c. Address Mrs. A. M. Crawford, 666 E 26th st y

LEARN to play mandolin and guitar in 3 months. Room 4, 1035 Washington. y

MISS AGNES JOHNSON, teacher of piano; terms reasonable. 1061 West st. y

INSTRUCTION given in instrumental and vocal music, Parisian French. Playing for dancing. Address Madam Louise Wells, Newland House, Seventh and Washington.

PRIVATE LESSONS in Spanish, also English branches, at 910 Clay st. y

EVENING CLASSES in English, stenography, typewriting, bookkeeping; also piano, organ, painting. 589 Eighteenth street. y

MISS M. JULIAN, teacher piano, organ and vocal music; advanced methods. 1208 Eighth street y

FRENCH, Spanish, German (practical methods) taught by native teachers. 1375 Franklin. y

BEGINNERS on guitar and mandolin, four lessons $1. Address P. O. box 14, Oakland.

ATTORNEYS.

BENJAMIN F. BERGEN—Attorney and Counsellor at Law, 1003½ Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

STREET, J. F., Attorney, 808 Broadway, rooms 11 and 12; telephone blue 824.

C. H. TEBBS, Attorney-at-Law, 1003½ Broadway, rooms 26-27.

MARTIN & ROBINSON—Attorneys-at-Law, rooms 15 and 16, 921 Broadway.

BREARTY & WHITE, Attorneys-at-Law, 1004 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

BROOKS & HARGIS, Attorneys-at-Law, Parrott bldg., San Francisco. Telephone Jessie 601.

A. A. MOORE—Attorney-at-Law, rooms 33 and 34, seventh floor, Mills building, San Francisco. Telephone 3351 red.

A. L. & P. C. Black—Attorneys-at-Law. Room No. 6, 967 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.; with John Yule.

PHIL M. WALSH, Attorney-at-Law, City Justices' Court building, SE corner Broadway and Eighth sts.

GEORGE W. LANGAN, Attorney and Counsellor-at-Law, Livermore, Cal; practices in all courts.

BEN F. WOOLNER, Attorney and Counsellor-at-Law and Notary Public, 1003½ Broadway, rooms 7 and 8.

CLINTON G. DODGE, rooms 15 and 16, 906 Broadway.

FOX & GRAY, Attorneys-at-Law, Pacific Mutual building, entrance 6, fourth floor, San Francisco.

FRICK & GOODCELL, Attorneys-at Law, Blake & Moffitt building, rooms 49-52.

GEORGE E. DE GOLIA, 967 Broadway, northeast corner of Ninth st, Oakland, room 2, telephone No. 38.

JOHNSON & SHAW, Law Office, 923 Broadway, rooms 2, 3 and 5.

MELVIN C. CHAPMAN, Attorney-at-Law, has removed to 905 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

SNOOK & CHURCH, Attorneys-at-Law, room 3, District Attorney's office, Court House.

NYE & KINSELL, Attorneys-at-Law, 861 Broadway.

R. M. FITZGERALD, Attorney-at-Law, 854½ Broadway, rooms 1 and 2, Oakland.

SAMUEL BELL McKEE JR., Attorney-at-Law, 957 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

DRESSMAKERS.

859 CASTRO—Suits $5; tailor suits and children's clothes a specialty.

EXPERIENCED dressmaker wishes employment by the day; terms $1.50. Address 1209 Franklin st.

WARNER & MICHENER, fashionable dressmakers, 581 Twelfth; suits from $3.50 up.

SUITS made in the latest style for $5 up. Mrs. A. Gilgen, 1251 Clay.

LEARN DRESS CUTTING—Latest improved system; full course, 12 weeks, $20; dresses made $3 up. Wallace's Dress Cutting School, 419 San Pablo ave.

MADAME DUNLAP has returned from abroad with the latest designs for fall and winter wear. Ladies desiring a perfect fit will do well by calling on the Madame. Brunswick, Ninth and Washington.

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NO PAIN—Teeth filled, crowned, bridged and extracted painlessly by electricity; plates $5 up; crowns and bridges $4 up. Croome Dental Parlors, 759 Market st., San Francisco.

A FULL SET OF TEETH, $5; painless extracting; see our combination plate; thin as paper; warranted 10 years; teeth without plates; crown and bridge work our specialty; teeth implanted or transplanted; fillings, 50c; crowns, $3.50; all work painless and warranted. Chicago Dental Parlors, 21 Sixth st., S. F.

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J. M. DUNN, D. D. S.—Dental parlors, 1103½ Broadway, rooms 14-16, Union National Bank building, Oakland, Cal.

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$100 — LODGING HOUSE of six rooms, completely furnished, for sale. Apply from 11 A. M. to 6 P. M. at 834 Broadway. w

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Offices: 460-462 EIGHTH ST.

Sacrifice; must sell—Modern fine cottage; five rooms, bath; cost $2,000; has bank mortgage $2,000 at 8 per cent; owner cannot pay interest; make offer above mortgage at once; good location on electric car line; lot 100x125, alone worth purchase price.

$750 — Near Center st. station; cottage, four rooms, hard finished, high basement; brick foundation; street work complete; make offer; must sell at once.

$3,000—One of the choicest modern two-story residences west of Broadway; twelve rooms; heated by furnace; large lot; unexcelled location; terms reasonable.

A speculation—4¾ acres in the city limits of Oakland; elegant residence site; price $5,000; a double sacrifice; make offer; owner in town waiting to close sale.

TWO BARGAINS.

Forced sale in Alameda, for amount of mortgage; lovely new cottage, six rooms, lot 40x100; price $2,500; cost $3,500.

Also new one and one-half story picturesque cottage; 7 rooms; modern in every respect; $2,750; cost $4,000; only $500 cash; balance monthly; apply immediately.

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$1,300—Modern 6-rm house, 30-ft. lot; easy terms. Hugh M. Cameron, 479 Ninth. re

FOR SALE—20 acres, No. 1 fruit ranch six miles from Sacramento. Address J. M. Harlow, Perkins, Cal.

HERE'S A SNAP!—Eight room house, corner lot 50x100 feet, $1,100; cost $1,700; $100 cash, balance to suit. Must be sold at once. Address Carroll Holmes, Oakland P. O. re

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Also sunny corner; 18 rooms; rents low; $650.
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FOR SALE—Cottage of five rooms and bath; at a bargain; Webster below Seventh. Inquire at 902 Franklin.

FOR SALE—At a bargain; a four room modern cottage with lot 27½x115 ft.; on Twenty-third ave.; near two electric car lines; good location; street work all done; price $1,200; mortgage of $750 may be assumed. Albert Schmidt, 1122 Thirteenth ave., East Oakland.

SUBURBAN PROPERTY.

AN ATTRACTIVE fruit, flower and vegetable ranch near Mills' Seminary; forty minutes from Broadway by Haywards electric cars; eight acres with comfortable house, and outbuildings; will consider exchange for residence with liberal lot in Oakland or Fruitvale. J. W. Cox & Co., 506 Ninth st.

FOR SALE, or will trade—Two lots on Mountain View ave., Elmhurst; 50x141 each; situated three blocks from power house. Address D. G., box 1, Tribune office.

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LOANS on furniture, pianos, etc., without removal. Address F. L. C., Box 2, Tribune office. z

$20,000—Will loan money to build a house. Alden-Garfield Co., 902 Broadway. z

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LOANS MADE to salaried people holding permanent positions, without security except their name; easy payments; no publicity. New Era Loan Co., room 25, corner Tenth and Broadway; hours 10 to 3. z

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FINE SEVEN ROOM HOUSE AND LOT 40x120 WELL LOCATED NEAR TELEGRAPH AVENUE. WORTH $2,000.

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$2,750—Comfortable cottage of six rooms; lot 27½x100; on San Pablo ave. near Twenty-fifth st.; future business property.

One of the most elegant homes in the city will be offered by us for a short time at one-half its cost, account of owner's departure; full particulars at our office.

$12,500—Fifteen acres fine fruit or vegetable land; very desirable for subdivision into residence lots or for suburban residence; situate close to elegant homes in Seminary Park; comfortable house, barn, fruit trees, etc.

$250—Lot 34x134, in Teachers' tract, Berkeley; cheap.

$750—Choice corner lot in East Oakland Heights; fine elevation; good view.
$2,200—Lot 60x100 on Telegraph ave.

Property of all kinds, business, residence, inside and outside, at the lowest prices.

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$2,750—New cottage; six rooms and bath; high basement; laundry; lot 30x100; in best location in Oakland; near local train; cost to build less than one year ago $3,000; owner is now a non-resident and must sell.

$2,150—Modern cottage of five rooms and bath; on sunny side Sixteenth st.; only a few minutes' walk from City Hall; a bargain.

$500—Vacant lot 50x125; near San Pablo avenue; worth $800.

$5,500—New house of fourteen rooms; every modern convenience; near Telegraph avenue, and within ten minutes' walk narrow gauge trains; an ideal home and worth much more than price asked.

$4,000—New house of eight rooms and bath, on lot 50 feet front; location Twenty-seventh st. near Telegraph; terms can be made as easy as paying rent.

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Thousands all over the State have picnicked under and admired the magnificent old oaks during the past forty years on this property. All the streets are graded, curbed, sewered and macadamized; cement walks are now being laid; ornamental shade trees will be planted; in fact, every lot free of cost to purchasers; gas and water pipes are laid on both sides of every street; this property is surrounded by the residences of Senator George C. Perkins, Chas. M. Cooke, Frank C. Havens, W. W. Whitman, R. George Zahn, Chas. Olney, A. F. Coffin, E. P. Flint, John L. Howard and many other fine homes; a combination of lake, bay, hill and city views such as no other property commands; lots are from 130 to 160 feet deep; no improvements of a less value than $3,000 allowed, prices from $20 to $40 per front foot; special prices and special terms will be made with the first twenty purchasers.

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ALAMEDAN CRIPPLED WHILE IN ALASKA.

Joseph A. Leonard commodore of the Encinal Club of Alameda, was one of the passengers who arrived in Seattle yesterday on the Roanoke from Alaska. While in that country Mr. Leonard met with a painful accident which it was feared for a time would cost him his life. On August 26th he fell and had his foot [illegible] and crushed in the crankshaft of the California and Alaska Dredging Company's Yukon steamer Dawson City. For many days he was without surgical relief, and it was feared that blood poisoning would set in. Finally the foot was dressed by Dr. Martin at St. Michaels, and on the return trip Mr. Leonard was been under the care of Dr. Humphrey of San Francisco, who thinks the patient will recover the use of his foot.

BULBS.

Just received—a large stock of hyacinth, tulip, daffodil and other spring flowering bulbs. An immense stock. Plant early for early flowers.

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Tel. Main 676. 517 Fourteenth street.

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J. L. MAYON, M. D.—Office and residence 1069 Market st., cor. Twelfth; hours, 2 to 4 and 7 to 8 P. M.; 'phone black 1531.

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FOR SALE MISCELLANEOUS.

CHEAP—Young saddle horse; very stylish; trial can be had; can be seen at 1236 Broadway, corner Fifteenth st. George F. Neece. x

FINE oak mirror folding bed, $20; also small range and box. 615 Fifteenth. x

FRESH Jersey milch cow for sale. Merced ave., near Telegraph. x

LADY'S BICYCLE, in good condition; also guitar; a bargain; at 327 Myrtle. x

GENTLE HORSE—No bad habits; don't need tieing. C. Finney, 2154 Ward st., Berkeley. x

FOR SALE — Fine Smith hammerless gun; also doctors' instruments, books and oak office desk. 1518 Mozart, Alameda. x

IMMEDIATE DEPARTURE—Millinery, stock and fixtures must be sold; a bargain. 319 San Pablo ave. x

FOR SALE—Gents' '98 wheel, "White" make; 24-inch frame; perfect condition; no reasonable offer refused. Charles G. Anderson, box 3, Tribune office. x

SURRY (two seated) cheap; also second hand top and open buggies. 373 10th. x

A GOOD second-hand bicycle for $10 at 20 San Pablo av. x

GOOD family mare for sale at $40; 10½ hands high; inquire at 1373 Harrison street. x

FOR SALE — Good all purpose mare, cheap; or will exchange for delivery wagon. Call 1381 Sixteenth st. x

LADDERS for sale, also general carpenter work done, by J. E. Miller, 563 Thirteenth st. x

TOP BUGGY, $16; buckboard, $25; spring wagon, $17; cart, $17.50, at 474 East Twelfth street. O x

A BEAUTIFUL upright piano, never used, must be sold for cash this month. Apply 229 Telegraph ave.

A $450 DRUMMER'S buggy, $61; second-hand phaetons, buggies, sulkeys, etc., 367 Eleventh st. x

MILK WAGON at a bargain, also second-hand one horse delivery wagon, $12; 323 Eleventh st. x

A NICE BUGGY, almost new, $55. Enquire 1169 West st.

FOR SALE—TEN R.I.P.A.N.S. for 5 cents at druggists; one gives relief.

ELECTRICAL SUPPLIES.

CASS L. GILSON'S electric supply house, 559 Thirteenth st.; latest in bells, batteries, telephones, burglar alarms, automatic gas lighting, electric light, motor supplies, etc; contracting and repairing. Phone red 3292.

FOR RENT—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR RENT—Unfurnished; hotel, fifty-eight rooms, on a prominent corner in the heart of town; rent reasonable to responsible tenants. Heron & Holcomb, 1050 Broadway. p

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Dewey—"The Signal of Liberty."
Alcazar—"The Wife."
Baldwin—"Love in Harness."
Comedy—"Where's Matilda?"
Columbia—"By the Sad Sea Waves."
Morosco's—"Straight From the Heart."
Orpheum—High Class Vaudeville.
Tivoli—"The Circus Queen."

PICNICS AT SHELL MOUND PARK.
October 23d—County Monahan Social Club.

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THURSDAY.....OCTOBER 20, 1898.

The more the situation is explained, the more the people are satisfied that the Republican ticket is the one they want to vote. It is the only logical conclusion that can be drawn, anyhow.

The California Good Roads League is going to introduce a bill at the coming session of the Legislature providing for three classes of roads throughout the State. That may be all right for the purposes of sectional data, but we want the roads to be all first-class.

Stand by the men who have stood by you. Among the nominees on the Republican ticket, both State and county, are many incumbents who are seeking re-election. Their records show that they have been faithful to the trusts reposed in them, so there will be no experiments to be made if they are continued in their present offices.

The withdrawal every now and then of an independent candidate from the local fight is a good indication of the way things are going. Those who are dropping out of the race in this way are sensible enough to realize that the people are satisfied with their party nominees, so it is no use bucking their heads up against a stone wall.

The case of Henry T. Gage is not one where "a prophet is without honor in his own country." The people of the southland believe in him to a man, even his Democratic opponents down there not having one word to say against him personally. It is always a good indication that a man is all right when he is honored and respected in his home circle.

The re-apportionment of funds as made by the new tax levy should bring satisfaction all along the line. The big saving that has been effected in the lake estimates is the salvation of those departments that otherwise would have been crippled, and although some of them have not yet by any means got what they wanted, still they will be able to jog along somehow for another fiscal year.

Those Democratic candidates who are trying to advertise themselves by challenging their Republican opponents to joint debates cannot even draw crowds in that way. The slim attendance at the meeting of that description held Tuesday night in the Fifty-first Assembly District is a sample illustration of how all their efforts to attract attention are failing. Some of those fusion candidates must be suffering pretty badly from cold feet just about now.

Have you noticed how little the Democrats are saying about the Republican State platform? They are afraid to call attention to it, because they know that every line of it is in the interests of the people of the State. Instead of campaigning therefore on the proper issues, they are trying to make headway by means of personal attacks upon the Republican candidates, and as they are also being euchred every time they make a move in that regard, they will soon be without a leg to stand on.

Mayor Phelan of San Francisco is not making any capital for himself by his attacks on the Supreme Court of the State. No one can approve of the idea of the executive officer of a great metropolis assailing the judiciary simply because it did not decide in accordance with his views. The mere fact that the legal points made are not clear to him proves nothing, unless it be, perhaps, that he is incapable of understanding them. As a layman, he is not qualified to pass upon the work of the courts.

The record made by the State Red Cross Society is a splendid one, both from the standpoint of the work done by its members and the generous responses made by the people of California to its appeals. The cash receipts foot up $32,940, of which about $8,700 is still on hand, the rest having gone for the various hospital expenditures. An estimate of the value of the work done cannot be given in dollars and cents, for no other cause but that of patriotism and humanity could have commanded the services of the noble-hearted women who worked late and early to make the movement a success.

HOWARD WRIGHT FOR ASSEMBLYMAN.

In the six Assembly districts of Alameda county the only member seeking re-election is Howard E. Wright of the Fifty-first. Even he for awhile did not intend to make an effort to return to the seat he occupied so well at the last session of the Legislature, but so many of his personal friends and constituents importuned him to become a candidate again that at last he decided to go into the fight. Since making up his mind in that regard it is needless to say that he has not allowed any opportunities to pass by that could aid his election, for he is a stanch believer in that old maxim that "whatever is worth doing is worth doing well."

The Fifty-First District is in one way the most notable in Alameda county, for it is the one in which the State University is located and hence whoever is returned from there is regarded as the special guardian of the interests of that institution. The mere fact that Mr. Wright has been chosen again as the champion of the college city is proof enough that his work at the last session of the Legislature was eminently satisfactory, for had it not been so he most certainly would not now be figuring as a candidate for re-election. The records show that it was he who introduced the University bill in the House last session, and how well he fought for it, all those who remember the circumstances of the passage of the act must readily admit.

Mr. Wright will be a valuable man in the House this time for Alameda county, for with his past legislative experiences to guide him he will be in a position to make a good fight for every measure entrusted to him. Outside of his capacity and ability for work, he has a knack of making friends, and every one knows how great an aid this is in the matter of securing legislation. As far as his personal record is concerned, no one has ever been able to say aught of him than that he is an upright, honorable, conscientious man, so there is certainly every reason on that score why he should be endorsed at the polls. The voters of the Fifty-first District can therefore feel satisfied that when they are casting their ballots for him they are voting for a man in every way entitled to their confidence and one who will watch over their interests at Sacramento with a trustful eye.

The scurrilous attacks that the Democratic State Central Committee has been making on A. J. Johnston, the Republican nominee for State Printer, are proving a boomerang, for while some people might have been inclined to believe a reasonable criticism, no one can swallow the yarns about conditions which, if true, would entitle Mr. Johnston to quarters at San Quentin or Folsom. The truth of the matter is that the State Printer is a stalwart, starch Republican who would not knuckle down to an attempt to run his office in the interests of the Democrats and now they are trying to have revenge for it. Their diatribes, though, make his election more certain than ever.

Ex-Queen Liliuokalani will probably have to return to Washington again, this time on a lobbying expedition for money instead of for her crown. A bill in her behalf is to be introduced, compensating her for the crown lands, and whether or not she gets the full amount desired, it is certain she will be liberally treated, for Congress can afford to be generous under the circumstances. It is not often a nation has a princely domain presented to it for nothing, and that is about the situation as regards Hawaii.

The Seventh Regiment got almost as enthusiastic a welcome back to Los Angeles as if its members really had come from the war. The whole town turned out to greet what it termed "its heroes," and on a depicted monument appeared the appropriate inscription: "They also serve, who only stand and wait." Just fancy what hot times there will be in California when the actual warriors return from Manila. The exuberance of the people will scarcely know how to express itself.

The New York Journal has been making a canvass of the State on the Gubernatorial issue. It claims to have actually interviewed one-fifth of the entire voters and on a proportionate basis it figures out the result as follows: Van Wyck, 275,425; Roosevelt, 189,370. Teddy's chances for the Presidency would go a-glimmering if he should be beaten anything like that, especially in view of the way Governor Black was elected years ago.

A Chicago man hid $3,200 under the carpet of his room, but somebody else found it. Even though he may have had some reason to be scared of the banks, they certainly could have done better than that. This hiding of money around the house is always a poor proposition, for there is one hundred dollars lost that way to every cent that is wiped out by means of a bank failure.

The sudden death last week of the Collector of the Port of Los Angeles has given the superstitious another string to their bow. He died on a Friday exactly thirteen months and thirteen days from the date of his appointment.

Bob Fitzsimmons wants $50,000 for the injury done to his feelings and social fame by being ejected from the Gilsey House cafe. He evidently figures that it is not a case with him of "Go and get a reputation."

GAGE, THE MAN.

There are always signs and tokens as to what the outcome of an election will be. Out of the chrysalis of doubt and speculation there is gradually woven a public sentiment that betrays itself in a hundred ways, and those who are old campaigners in the sense that they have participated in many such conflicts before, have little difficulty in discerning how the tide is running.

They know now what the result is to be. Republicans and Democrats alike are all aware that the Gubernatorial campaign is shaping itself so that, like a coming event that casts its shadow before it, there are now positive indications as to which banner victory will perch on. The sentiment in behalf of Henry Gage proclaims him the man, and unless there is an absolute change in the current—and there seems no reason why there should be—nothing can stop his election next month.

One of the very best indications as to how the public mind is being formed is given in the way the names of the respective candidates are received at neutral places, such as houses of entertainment. At one of the leading vaudeville establishments across the bay the cheers and uproar that greet the name of Gage overshadow two to one the acclamation that attends the mention of Maguire. A memorable incident in this connection occurred, this, too, at the meeting in San Francisco of the Municipal Improvement League, an organization in which Democrats are supposed to predominate. James Barry, the Democratic candidate for Congress, was speaking, after having been received with many voices of approval. Suddenly he mentioned the name of Gage, intending to make some sarcastic reference to the Republican standard-bearer. The house immediately went into an uproar of applause lasting for several minutes, much to the surprise of the orator.

There is a reason for all this, and a good one. The people like Gage, not only on account of the policy and principles he represents, but for himself. His addresses to them do not contain glittering word jewels or empty baubles of metaphor, but consist rather of good solid horse sense, and that after all is what strikes home. They realize that as Governor of California he will give a sound, business-like administration without fear or favor to any one, and as regards the charges made by Maguire and his followers that he is dominated by railroad influence, they know now that such allegations are false, for it is plain to see that a more independent man never lived than Henry Gage. He will be elected because he deserves to be, and when he is at Sacramento the people will be glad they sent him there, for he will be true and loyal to the trust reposed in him by the citizens of California.

The Spanish press censor has been withdrawn from Cuba. That other valuable adjunct of the Blanco and Weyler campaigns—the typewriter bureau where they manufactured their victories—has also ended its career of usefulness.

Sacramento's welcome to Gage was worthy of the town where he will make his home for the four years commencing January 1st next. As in every other part of the State, they are well satisfied with him.

The threatened tobacco war has been declared off—ended in smoke, as it were.

FATHER YORKE WILL LECTURE IN THIS CITY.

The Rev. Peter C. Yorke will give a lecture on the subject "First Principles" at the Tabernacle on Monday evening, October 31st, for the benefit of Father King's church.

This is the last opportunity to hear Father Yorke before his departure for Europe. He is a lecturer of marked ability, a deep thinker, and has an ease of manner in his delivery which makes it a pleasure to listen to him. No doubt a large audience will greet him when he appears in this city.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Albany Hotel—A. David, Sydney; Mrs. M. J. La Bisenere, Sydney; K. W. C. Thompson, Mount Oliver; H. Chester, Oakland; R. L. Mehrow, College Park.

Galindo Hotel—B. Meyer, Oakland; W. C. F. Spintler.

Crellin Hotel—A. Hamburgler, San Francisco; T. S. Catt, Silver Moon; A. C. Hinkson, Sacramento; Merle Johnson, Examiner, San Francisco; A. N. Walton, Francisco.

Metropole Hotel—Senator R. P. Macdonald, Soquel, Cal.; Marquis de Soule, France.

Water Front Items.

The schooner Hueneme is unloading shingles at Franklin street wharf.

The tug Equator is at Hay & Wright's docks undergoing repairs.

The steamer Mt. Eden is being calked.

The steam launch Estella is being painted at Franklin street dock.

The scow schooner Katie S. is at Taylor's bunkers discharging coal.

Piles have been driven at right angles with the new Harrison street bridge for seventy-five feet on each side. The piles are for the purpose of protecting the bridge from ships. Captain Burnham's yacht Idler is being cleaned and renovated at the California Yacht Club.

The scow schooner Rival is discharging a cargo of rock at Adams' wharf.

The schooner John Nagel is discharging straw at Hunt, Hatch & Company's warehouse.

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POLITICAL REFLECTIONS.

The Supreme Court in the case of Russel vs. McDowell has made the following decision to which the attention of voters is called:

"A person is held, by reason of having moved from one precinct to another in the same county, within 30 days prior to the election, to have lost his residence in the precinct so moved from, provided he was an elector therein on the 30th day prior to such election."—Marysville Appeal.

Republicans should bear in mind that the only possible way in which a Democratic Congress can be elected is by Republicans voting for Democratic candidates through acquaintance or local interest. The interests of the American Republic are too important to be jeopardized at this time by any other consideration. A vote for a Democratic Congressman is a vote to rebuke President McKinley and to endorse the abuse heaped upon him during the war by such papers as the Mail. Every man who believes that President McKinley has performed his duty capably, honorably, conscientiously, should vote to vindicate him from these scurrilous attacks by the election of a Congressman who will sustain him.—Stockton Independent.

The persons who voted for McKinley in 1896 and threaten to vote for Maguire this year are not so numerous that any of them have passed this way. But the men who voted for Bryan in 1896 and are now supporting Gage are so numerous that any one can count them by scores. As McKinley carried the State by nearly 2,000, the above mentioned condition does not seem to augur very well for the fusion nominee.—Stockton Independent.

Just three weeks until election. So, if you are in politics, get out and rustle. And if you are not in politics and don't give a rap about it, compose your soul in patience; it will soon be over.—Fresno Republican.

There are, as usual, two parties asking the support of the people at the coming election. One is the Republican party. You know what that means. The other—can you tell even its name? It has various nicknames, which are convenient to call it by, but, seriously, can you define it except by that it is the Bryan party of 1896 or the Maguire party of 1898? It has lost all that made the Democratic party Democratic, and here in California has given up even the name. It has no bond of coherence except the individual who happens for the time being to head its ticket. It has no principles, except opposition to everything that is, without showing that it could substitute anything better. It has no past with which it can be identified and no future which anyone can predict.—Fresno Republican.

Stockton Independent: Maguire is trying to seed this State with the single tax theory by sending out a treatise surreptitiously worked into the "Congressional Record" so that he could get it cheaply printed at Government rates and send it out under his own frank. Mr. Maguire pays no postage on this campaign literature. The treatise is sent in sealed envelopes that an ordinary person not enjoying a $5,000 salary would have to pay 8 cents to send through the mails. Mr. Maguire can send them by simply stamping his name on with a rubber stamp—does not even have to earn the 8 cents by writing his name. To send out 100 of these Henry George single tax treatises, if Maguire had to pay postage, as working men do, would cost $8; to send 800 would cost $80; to send 10,000 would cost $800; and to send 100,000, which, by the way, it will require to go around in this State, it would take $8,000 to send them under ordinary postage. * * * Whether it was $1 or $1,000, it is the grossest kind of an outrage, and that a man who abuses his position in Congress to use public service in this way and then from the stump declares that the single tax is not an issue in the campaign is not only telling a conscious falsehood, but is living out an official lie and making the people of the United States pay the bill.—Red Bluff Blade.

Three weeks from to-morrow the people of California will be called upon to decide several things.

They will decide whether they will indorse the administration in its righteous war with Spain, and send to Washington representatives who shall uphold the arms of the President in every way and show to the world that the country is unanimous in that respect.

They will have to decide whether they will send to the United States Senate a man who will look after the interests of this State and fight for its industries instead of against them, as does one of the Senators who now misrepresents us there.

They will have to decide whether they want a man for Governor behind whom stand all the conservative, progressive, solid elements of the community, or one under whose banner are marshaled all the discontented, all the dissatisfied, all the irresponsible elements in the community, though, of course, not all his following comes under those heads.

They will have to choose whether the entire administration of the State Government shall be intrusted to one or the other of these elements.

Locally, the people of this Senatorial and Assembly District will have to decide whether they will be represented in the Legislature by men who will vote to send a Republican to the National Senate, or who will aid in sending a Democrat there.

The people of the Second and Third Supervisorial districts will have to decide whether they desire to continue in office two men who have done most excellent work in the past and who can be depended upon to continue it, or whether they shall be ousted and new and untried men put in their places.

They will have to decide whether the entire county government shall be intrusted to men whom they know to be competent, like Oscar Rogers, Frank Jordan, James Barber, and others, or whether it shall be delegated to men of whom they know nothing except that they are willing to stand upon almost any kind of a platform so long as they can get office.

This, in brief, is what the people of this county and State will have to decide on Tuesday, November 8th. For one, we have no doubt as to what that decision will be. We believe that the entire Republican ticket will be elected from top to bottom.—Alameda Encinal.

EBELL SOCIETY WILL ENTERTAIN.

William Greer Harrison will lecture this evening before the Ebell Society, in their rooms on Harrison street, on the subject, "History."

A musical and literary afternoon will be given Saturday. A programme has been prepared, and a collection of Indian baskets will be exhibited. The programme will be under the management of Mrs. Gregory and her assistants.

Uncle of Mrs. Cleveland Dead.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

JACKSON, Miss., Oct. 20.—Colonel M. Harmon, a prominent business man of this city and an uncle of Mrs. Grover Cleveland, is dead.

Maud—"I'm awfully worried! You know you told me if I put that piece of wedding cake under my pillow I would dream of my future husband?" Marie—"Yes." Maud—"Well, I put it under and I dreamed of the Seventy-first Regiment."—Puck.

SENATORIAL CAMPAIGN FOR GRANT.

J. P. Brown Goes East With a Letter For Elkins.

Expected to Have Weight in Favor of the Hero's Son.

The following is from the San Francisco Bulletin of October 14th:

James P. Brown, late of the law department of the Southern Pacific Company, but later still editor of the Wave, has gone to New York. The departure of Mr. Brown for the metropolis of the nation would have in itself but little significance, but the mission upon which he goes and the credentials with which he is armed constitute the beginning of a story which broadens as it unfolds. It is a political story and relates to one of the under-current movements of the resent campaign.

Mr. Brown carried a letter from a leading politician, a Federal office-holder, to the Hon. Stephen Elkins, United States Senator from Virginia. This letter conveys the opinion of the California politician and office-holder, which reinforces Mr. Elkins' belief that U. S. Grant is certain of election to the office of United States Senator in the eventof Republican success.

This letter from the politician to the Senator is the culmination of things which preceded it. All things worked toward the writing of this letter, and eventually it was written, and James P. Brown was made the messenger and medium of its delivery to Steve Elkins.

Mr. Elkins' interest in the Senatorial contest in California is not to be wondered at. The "leading" Senators are such because they have a coterie of men whom they control. Thus they become useful, to the trusts, to the corporations, to combinations and to syndicates.

The production of the letter grew out of the fact that a rumor has gained politicians are accredited with seeing being made with money. Certain skilled politicians are accredited with securing at the hands of Republican candidates for the Senate and Assembly pledges that they will vote for Grant for assistance rendered to them in their campaign. Of course, if all this is true, the law is being grossly violated; but if any one supposes that candidates for the Senate and Assembly are not soliciting assistance at the hands of corporations and candidates for United States Senator they are grievously mistaken. As a rule in this State Senators and Assemblymen are assisted in their election and go into the legislative body to which they are elected "Born thralls of Cedric, the Saxon," if we will permit "Cedric the Saxon" to stand for syndicates, trusts and combinations.

James V. Kelly, bailiff of the Railroad Commission, is credited with being one of Mr. Grant's managers, and there is more than one candidate for the Assembly and more than one candidate for Senator to testify that they have already been spoken to with a golden voice emanating from the Grant bureau.

On the other hand, it is stated with apparent sincerity that Mr. Grant himself is not a party to this; that the purchase of merchantable material is not made with Mr. Grant's money, but by that furnished at the present time by interested parties with full confidence that the advance will be reimbursed by Mr. Grant himself or by the friends who are interested in his election; and among those friends are certain Eastern Senators who have declared that they wished Mr. Grant to enjoy the distinction of being United States Senator from the State of California, not for the benefit of California, but for the benefit of the Eastern Senators who are manifesting this high confidence in this budding scion of a great house.

A gentleman named Milton S. Green, well known as a Grant manager, was cognizant of the letter carried by James P. Brown to Stephen Elkins.

But there are others to whom that letter is to be carried. C. P. Huntington and Thomas H. Hubbard reside in the city of New York. They are more or less interested in the transportation business of California, and in some of the street railroads of some of the larger cities. Their names are not unfamiliar to the people of California, at least, and the letter to Elkins from the California politician and office-holder is to be shown to them before it is shown to the party to whom it is addressed, and the object of this showing is to convince these gentlemen that it will be well to get aboard while there are seats in the band-wagon. There is nothing which succeeds like success, and nothing attracts a following more strongly than the certainty of success. To be with the winning side is the natural impulse of men who have something to lose or to gain by the control of public affairs.

And so the State has been canvassed by the Grant bureau. The men who are to be elected, should the Republicans be successful, have been reconnoitered. The sack has been shown to gladden the hearts of the "stay-bought-faithful" and to intensify expectancy.

The Grant bureau believes itself in position to command success by having deserved it, and so the letter, the messenger and the mission East have for their object less the delivery of the message to Elkins than its exposure to the New York Sanhedrin of the Southern Pacific Company. If it can be made to appear that Grant is the inevitable, then he will be the inevitable, for whatever can be made to appear will be, if by the appearance all the "powers that be" are joined in a common purpose.

So the Southern Pacific Company, or at least so much of it as resides in New York, is to be shown the letter written by the California Federal office-holder to the Eastern Senator. It is a good letter, carefully and diplomatically designed for the accomplishment of its purpose. In the meantime, enough is known of the movement of the parties to make it certain that money is being promised and promises are being exacted.

The rumor reaches broader horizons. It is stated that Richard Kerens is one of Grant's backers; that Senator Chaffee of Colorado, Grant's father-in-law, has enlisted for the war.

As strange as it may appear, there are Senatorial syndicates. There are great Senators and small Senators—Senators of the first, second, and third magnitude. There are Senators, who are primary bodies, accompanied in their Senatorial career by satellites who revolve around them. There are Saturn Senators, accompanied in their orbit around the central sun of Government by broad rings. So the great Senators and the great Commoners in the Senate and House of Representatives are great because they use the power they have to augment their power. They go to the ruling classes of society and make demands and out of these demands come Senators who become their satellites, content to revolve around their primary planet, bound by the gravity of gratitude.

Oregon has just elected a Senator, one of the "who-is-he" kind, and the question is asked, Where has he been? What has he done? Why have we not heard of him before? But away off at Washington, at the center of political power, there is a primary planet who will undoubtedly boast of an additional satellite, and California is to send reinforcement to a Senatorial magnate and thereby contribute to the augmentation of his magnate.kw kw augmentation of his magnitude.

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In 1621 Elder Cushman wrote from Plymouth that he "would not advise any one to come here who were not content to spend their time, labors and endeavors for the benefit of those who shall *come after*, quitely contenting themselves with such hardships and difficulties as shall fall upon them."

What self-renunciation and heroic purpose was this! They drowned witches to be sure, but that was no part of their puritanism. It is to the puritan women we owe so much for that spirit in our people which gives them the fortitude to endure hardship and stake life and fortune for their convictions.

The American women of to-day have the spirit of their puritan mothers, but their constitutions are not rugged or able to endure half the hardships of these New England ancestors. Very often they are run-down with weaknesses and irregularities peculiar to their sex, and the constant drain upon their vitality makes them chronic invalids. Many women hesitate to go to their family physician, because they dread the local examinations so generally insisted upon by practitioners.

Such women should write Dr. R. V. Pierce, chief consulting physician of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y., giving a full description of their symptoms, history, etc., so that he can give them the best possible medical advice. If Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription seems to suit the case the Doctor will say so. If not, then he will give medical advice which will put such women on the rapid road to recovery and health.

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LEADERS IN TEMPERANCE RE-ELECTED.

State W.C.T.U. Chooses Officers and Delegates.

Mrs. Sturtevant Peet Elected President By Acclamation.

THE NATIONAL CONVENTION.

Many Addresses Made on Subjects of Interest to the Members.

At yesterday's session of the nineteenth annual convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of California, held in the First Presbyterian Church, Berkeley, officers for the ensuing year and delegates to the National Convention were elected. The National Convention will meet in St. Paul, Minn., November 11th.

After the appointment of tellers by the chair, nominations were made as follows: For president, Mrs. Green, Mrs. Sturtevant Peet, Mrs. Spencer, Mrs. Barry, Mrs. Doer, Mrs. Bradley, Mrs. Emmons, and Mrs. Bidwell. An informal ballot gave Mrs. Sturtevant Peet a large majority, and she was on motion declared elected by acclamation.

For corresponding secretary, the following were nominated: Mrs. Spencer, Mrs. Lord, Mrs. Barry, Mrs. Kimball, Mrs. Borland, Mrs. Emmons, Mrs. De Velling, Mrs. Frank Lee, and Mrs. Reeding. An informal vote gave Mrs. Dorcas J. Spencer a majority and she was declared elected.

Mrs. R. A. Emmons was elected recording secretary. The other nominations made for this office were: Mrs. English, Mrs. Ayers, Mrs. Lord, Mrs. Spencer, Mrs. Green, Mrs. Doer, Mrs. McMath, Mrs. Reeding, Mrs. Avery, Mrs. French and Mrs. Barry. Mrs. Emmons, however, was chosen.

Mrs. Emily Hoppin was elected treasurer against the following opponents: Mrs. Green, Mrs. Gray, Mrs. English, Mrs. Southard, and Mrs. Gifford.

Mrs. Green was elected first vice-president, and Mrs. A. K. Bidwell second vice-president. The following delegates to the National Convention were elected: Mrs. M. E. Teats of Oakland, Dr. Jessie Hare of Fresno, Mrs. R. M. French of San Francisco, Mrs. D. L. Brayton of Mendocino county, Mrs. L. P. Williams of San Francisco, Mrs. M. McLean Hardy of Berkeley, and Mrs. N. B. Eyster of San Francisco.

At the afternoon session, Mrs. Blanche English spoke on the subject of the methods of local unions for raising money. Treasurer Mrs. Hoppin made an appeal for money, as a result of which nearly $500 was raised. Mrs. Rosamond R. Johnson spoke of the "History of the Army Canteen." Miss Frances E. Cox explained "Why Mothers Should Be Interested in Physical Culture." Mrs. Louise M. Thomson talked on "Our Work in the Sunday-School," and Mrs. N. B. Eyster on "What Shall the Woman's Christian Temperance Union Do For the Children?" Mrs. Eyster urged the formation of a local temperance legion as an adjunct to each local union.

At the evening session, Mrs. De Velling led the devotional exercises, after which there was music by the following quartette: Messrs. Cliff, Brock, Mills, and Picatte. Dr. Chapman, superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League, then addressed the convention on the subject of his work.

GOOD ORDER MAINTAINED IN SAN JUAN.

Everything Is Going Well in Our New Territory.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SAN JUAN, Porto Rico, Oct. 20.—The city remains orderly and all is quiet elsewhere. Major General Brooke is installed in the Palace, and Brigadier General Henry remains as commander of the district of Ponce. Brigadier General Grant has been appointed commissioner of the district of San Juan.

Senors Rivera, Blanco, Lopez and Carbonnel, Ministers of the Insular Government, have tendered their resignations to General Brooke, stating that they will perform their functions, if desired, until their successors are appointed.

The general order issued by General Brooke is a dignified, fair document, and has been well received by the public.

The Postoffice here under the American Government will be completely remodeled.

Chile's Ministry Will Serve.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SANTIAGO de Chile, Oct. 20.—All the ministers except the ministers of industries have withdrawn their resignations.

Did Not Pay His Physician.

H. F. Hobson has sued William N. Sharp in Judge Clift's court for $54 on an assigned claim of Dr. J. Austin Miller for medical services rendered.

FRESHMEN ARE AGAIN VICTORIOUS.

Defeat the Belmonts in a Football Match.

Lieut. J. Malcolm Graham Is Home on a Brief Furlough.

ALAMEDA'S WIRES MENACE LIFE

Engineer and Fireman on the Narrow Gauge Have a Close Call From Death.

BERKELEY, Oct. 20.—The freshmen team of the University added another victory to its account yesterday by defeating the Belmont team, conceded to be the strongest "prep." team on the Coast, by the one-sided score of 15 to 0. The features of the game were the runs of Smith and More, the freshmen backs, and the long-distance punting of Roberts, the Belmont star.

Since the Stanford freshmen defeated the same team by a smaller score, the California "babies" are confident of victory in the coming game with Stanford on the 29th.

Lieutenant J. Malcolm Graham, graduate of '98, has returned to Berkeley on a furlough of two weeks from Camp Alger, Va., where he has been stationed since the beginning of the war. The engagement of Lieutenant Graham and Miss Marie Kent was recently announced, and now he is receiving the congratulations of his many college friends. Graham expects to be detailed to duty in Porto Rico on the staff of his father, General Graham, at the expiration of his leave of absence.

Appropriate exercises in commemoration of Lafayette were held yesterday in all of the public schools of Berkeley. At the High School a programme appropriate to the day was rendered, the "Marsaillaise" was sung, and an address was given by Prof. Thomas Bacon of the University on Lafayette's devotion to the cause of the Revolution. The exercises were fittingly closed by the singing of the American National hymn.

ALAMEDA NEWS.

A live wire of the Alameda electric light plant came near causing another tragedy. As it was, William McCauley, engineer, and John Croll, fireman, of engine 22 of the narrow-gauge road had an experience they are not eager to repeat. While rounding a curve near Encinal station, one of the city's wires, which had broken and overhung the track, wrapped itself around the smokestack of the engine like a boa constrictor and pulled it out of place. The deadly fluid

"Scorched and singed
Like that infernal flame that fringed
The British squares at Waterloo."

It burned a big mark around the stack and charged the locomotive with electricity. Engineer McCauley received a distinct shock as he grasped the throttle to shut off the steam and stop the train. He says the only thing that saved the lives of Croll and himself was the fact that the engine was running head on, and the wire struck the stack first. Had it been running in the oposite direction, the wire would have struck the cab first and undoubtedly killed both of them.

The Coroner yesterday investigated the circumstances surrounding the death of F. W. Wicker, who shot himself Sunday at the home of A. O. Lunt on Grand street. All the testimony went to prove that the shooting was accidental, and a verdict to that effect was rendered by the jury.

Owing to the small attendance at the schools on the day the circus comes to town, the Board of Education has decided that hereafter the pupils shall have a holiday on such occasions.

R. B. Tappan is early in the field with the announcement of his candidacy to succeed E. K. Taylor, the Republican nominee for State Senator, as City Attorney. The election takes place next May.

Alameda Parlor No. 47, N. S. G. W., will celebrate the fourteenth anniversary of its institution, November 23. The parlor intends to make the occasion a memorable one. The following committee will have charge of the festivities: E. B. Owens, L. H. Transue, C. T. Rose, L. Fisher, and Max Gundlach.

On October 31st, Alameda Parlor No. 18, N. D. G. W., will give a Hallowe'en social at Blanding Hall.

Removed to the Hospital.

A. Steffanoni the jeweler, who has been under the doctor's care for sometime has been removed to the East Bay Sanitarium where he is being treated by Dr. D. D. Crowley.

McKibben in Prison.

Robert W. McKibben, who was held over by the police judge for robbing the home of John Murrell, was today brought into the county jail. His bail has been fixed at $1,000.

An Unpaid Note.

John Stewart has brought suit in Judge Clift's court against C. A. Taylor for $26.50 on a promissory note.

Pears'

Pears' soap is dried a whole year. That's why it lasts so.

INSULTING ATTITUDE OF SPANIARDS.

Contemptuously Ignore Our Commission at Havana.

Blanco Pays No Attention Whatever to Their Orders.

PLUNDERS THE BANCO ESPANOL.

Threatens to Use Force Upon Being Refused a Loan Last Week.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Oct. 20.—A dispatch to the Herald from Havana says:

One institution which above all others will welcome the relinquishment of Spanish sovereignty over Cuba is the Banco Espanol. Because of its semi-official connection with the government, the Banco Espanol has been mulcted out of millions of dollars.

No longer ago than last Thursday the Government called for $200,000 in gold. The bank protested, and did not give the cash until it received a notice that force would be used if necessary. Another $100,000 was advanced to-day, but in this case the city revenues were pledged as security.

All arrangements have been made for reorganization as soon as the American flag floats over the city.

Shares have already been subscribed to the amount of $8,000,000, and $2,000,000 more will probably be issued, making a total capital of $10,000,000 on the old basis. While official relations with Madrid will be severed absolutely, the bank will represent principally all the Spanish interests, public and individual, remaining in the island.

It is believed Cuban silver coin will soon circulate at a ration with gold of two to one. Cuban scrip, which was issued to the amount of $20,000,000, is now practically worthless, and this represents the only profit which the Banco Espanol derived from its connection with the government. When this scrip was issued, silver, to the amount of $6,000,000 was deposited as a guarantee fund. Later, $7,000,000 of the paper was withdrawn from circulation and the silver guarantee taken up by Spain. This left $13,000,000 of paper absolutely without intrinsic value, which was for a time forced upon the people. As soon as Spain withdraws, the Banco Espanol will issue a limited amount of paper with an equal amount of gold on deposit as a guarantee.

Through no weakness or mistake of its own, the American Commission occupies a position humiliating in the extreme. It has made several demands upon the Spanish authorities, only to have them ignored and to see affairs shape themselves as they would were Spain dictating terms of peace instead of accepting them.

To this matter emphasis was given on Monday, when, in the face of repeated protests from General Wade and his associates, General Blanco proceeded with an auction sale of what should be considered trophies of war—brass and bronze cannon. Captain Brooke also learned that the military machine shop was being partially dismantled. The costliest shafting and the latest pattern of lathes were being acked for shipment to Spain.

Another matter that has been annoying to the commission is the calm manner in which the protest against the dismounting of guns taken from the Alfonso XII was ignored. General Wade announced to General Blanco that though the guns originally belonged to the cruiser Alfonso XII, having once been used in the defenses of Havana, they became part of these defenses and must accordingly be turned over to the United States.

The Spanish commission communicated with Madrid and received a reply that this was a matter for discussion by the Paris commission and that it in no manner concerned the commission appointed to arrange the evacuation of Cuba. Since then the work of replacing the cannon on the Alfonso XII has proceeded without interruption, though frequent protests have been made by General Wade, Admiral Sampson and General Butler. One of the commissioners said:

"Unless we have authority and power to back up our demands, we are no more use in Havana than three school boys would be. We tell the Spaniards what should be done and they proceed as they please.

"When we first arrived in Havana we announced that the island must be evacuated by December. The Spaniards replied that they would have to be allowed until April to get out. Neither side has yet receded, though last week it did appear that an agreement might be reached. They will hold on to the customs receipts as long as possible. When they lose them they will move.

"If I had my way I would bring down warships and take possession of the custom house and other branches of the government.

"The sooner the Spanish soldiers leave the sooner Cuba will be rid of the yellow fever epidemic. In the wooden barracks in Regla over 400 soldiers died last week. There exist there all sorts of fever.

"We have registered at the commission the names of many Spanish lieutenants and four captains who wish to remain in Cuba, working with the American police.

DAMAGES AWARDED FOR A LYNCHING.

URBANA, Ohio, Oct. 20.—The Circuit Court has handed down a decision in the case of Ben Church against Champaign county for $5,000 damages. The suit grows out of the lynching of Click Mitchell two years ago, which gives the nearest kinsman $5,000. The Common Pleas Court held the law unconstitutional. The Circuit Court held it to be unconstitutional. The case will go to the Supreme Court.

THE VEHICLE ORDINANCE IS TO BE TESTED.

Prominent Merchants Who Oppose the Measure.

Validity of the Ordinance to Be Inquired Into.

REVENUE FROM ENFORCEMENT

License Inspector Maloon Tells Why He Pushes the Case.

The validity of the vehicle license ordinance is to be tested.

This ordinance was passed many years ago. For a number of reasons it was never put in force until the present time.

The contest will be made in the name of a number of well known merchants of this city. If the ordinance is declared invalid these merchants and business men will be saved from paying $5 per year for every vehicle which they employ in their business. If the validity of the ordinance is affirmed the merchants will be out of just so much money.

License Inspector Maloon, who has taken the initiative in the enforcement of this ordinance, estimates that there are fully 2,000 vehicles in this city which are subject to the tax, and that as a consequence the enforcement of the ordinance would mean a revenue to the city of at least $10,000 per year.

When Inspector Maloon notified the merchants and others with vehicles, except such as were excluded by the ordinance, that they would have to pay a license of $5 per year for every vehicle run by them a considerable amount of opposition was experienced. The ordinance was there, however, and there was no alternative but to enforce its provisions or repeal them. A certain length of time was given merchants to comply with the ordinance after they had been notified of the fact that the measure was to be put into force. The merchants consulted their attorney and he suggested a test case. City Attorney Dow, however, held that such a case could not be heard because the parties defendant could not be proceeded against in a civil case. A criminal case would have to be brought.

Accordingly it was decided to have not one, but many merchants, arrested because of their failure to comply with the ordinance, and then allow the ordinance to stand in abeyance pending a final decision in the case. The city in the agreement was represented by Mr. Maloon and the contesting merchants by Attorney Fry.

The local firms and merchants who expressed a willingness to be defendants in a test of the case are as follows:

A. C. Fay, Clay and Eleventh streets; Fred Becker, Union Central Market; Fred Sinclair, Oakland Produce Co., Eleventh street; H. Olsen, grocery, Ninth and Washington; James P. Taylor, wood and coal, Ninth street; Hugh Hogan, lumber, Third and Washington; George W. Arper, coal oil; T. Westphal, Bay City Flour Mill, Clay street; Wm. Sagehorn, hay and grain, Sixth and Washington; John Davis, teamster, Thirty-fifth and San Pablo; W. J. Mullins, U. S. Mail contractor; C. W. Kinsey, furniture, Thirteenth, between Broadway and Washington; George Taylor soda works, Thirteenth and Webster streets.

Accordingly, these business men will be placed under arrest this afternoon, and a day for the hearing of the case will probably be set to-morrow.

Mr. Maloon says he wants to be fair in the matter, and will simply carry out the law.

Knappen For Congress.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

BOSTON, Mass., Oct. 20.—Henry F. Knappen was nominated for Congress by the Democrats in the Tenth District today.

Fighting Fire on Mount Lowe.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 20.—The forest fire on Mount Lowe is still burning and thirty-five additional men have been sent to Alpine Tavern to fight it.

"Grateful to the Palate."

Says a Fancy Grocer, of Grape-Nuts.

The famous food.

A SECOND DISH

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"It is a delicious, novelty and very grateful to the palate. I found, about midway in my second dish, that I had sufficient for a meal and realized for the first time that I was eating a condensed food that supplies ones wants with a few spoonsful and does not require anything like the volume to furnish the amount of food required, as when any of the ordinary form of cereals are served. Grape-Nuts are an elegant food and the Postum Cereal Company Limited, are to be congratulated upon the discovery," said a well known fancy grocer of Grand Rapids.

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Plain stamped Demin Squares, all tints 15c
Stamped Java Cloth Pillow Squares, front and back, all shades 75c
Stamped Panama Cloth Pillow Squares, back and front, assorted 75c
Stamped art ticking Pillow Squares, tinted and aplique effect, back and front 50c
The same, fancy tinted 60c
The latest fad in Pillow Squares is a pretty Ottoman Cloth in red and blue, pretty stamped design back and front, with Roman striped ruffle.

USEFUL STAMPED NOVELTIES

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24 x 24 ..... 50c
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20 x 72 ..... $1.25
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Stamped 6-in. round Doylies 15c
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Cut work Scarf, 18 x 24 ..... 65c
Battenberg Linen Embroidery Pieces, 9-in. doylies to 36 in. center piece, from ..... 10c to $1
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Irish point Doylies ..... 15 and 20c
Center Pieces and Squares ..... 40 and 45c

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TOMORROW'S MEETING MAY BE EVENTFUL.

The Spaniards Will Make a Bid For Sympathy.

Our Commission May Give the Tricky Dons an Ultimatum.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

PARIS, Oct. 20.—The Spanish peace commissioners have not yet received from Madrid either instructions or permission to bid adieu to Cuban sovereignty without further seeking to attach to this sovereignty something providing for the assumption of the Cuban debt by the United States.

As at present disposed and instructed, the Spaniards will not at tomorrow's meeting recognize affirmatively the United States' position and will stop on the point of results, should they not flatly reject American insistence. The Spaniards, while recognizing the physical power of the United States, will extend their palms and shrug their shoulders. They regard the situation as pitiable, and are not averse to any sympathy it may excite.

They affirm that the Americans' answer to their debt propositions is very long, and that they have not yet had time to meditate fully upon it. They thus far apparently intend not to yield, and will tomorrow make another written presentment and expect an extended discussion thereon. Whether they will tomorrow be met with, or at the close of the session receive, as to Cuba, the American ultimatum of terms and time, must then be developed. While this is possible, it is now not quite probable.

POKED A DEBTOR IN THE RIBS.

J. M. McKinley was arrested to-day on complaint of H. W. Blore and charged with battery. Yesterday, Mr. Blore, who is employed by the Yates Paint & Oil Co., was painting a building in Fruitvale when McKinley came along and demanded payment of a bill. Blore was standing on a ladder against the side of the building. When asked when he was going to pay the bill, he turned around and wanted to know how much it was. McKinley replied that it was $42.

"No, it is not that much," said Blore. "Come down, then, and I will explain it to you," retorted McKinley.

Blore descended the ladder, and as he reached the ground McKinley began to use his fists upon him and poked him in the ribs several times. Blore will now prosecute McKinley for battery.

Sued on a Note.

H. F. Hobson has filed a suit in Judge Clift's court against E. L. Le Forte to recover $94.72 on an assigned promissory note.

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MEETINGS

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REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES

TO BE HELD

IN ALL THE TOWNS IN THE COUNTY.

The following is the schedule of meetings for the County Republican Candidates in Alameda county:

ALVARADO—Thursday evening, Oct. 20th.

SAN LORENZO—Friday evening, October 21st.

ALAMEDA—Saturday evening, October 22d.

WEST BERKELEY—Monday evening, October 24th.

FRUITVALE—Tuesday evening, October 25th.

ALAMEDA, WEST END—Wednesday evening, October 26th.

OAKLAND—Thursday, Oct. 27th.

ELMHURST—Friday evening, October 28th.

EAST BERKELEY—Saturday evening, October 29th.

NORTH OAKLAND—Monday evening, October 31st.

TEMESCAL—Tuesday evening, November 1st.

WEST OAKLAND—Thursday evening, November 2d.

EAST OAKLAND—Thursday evening, November 3d.

GOLDEN GATE—Friday evening, November 4th.

OAKLAND—Saturday evening, November 5th.

ALAMEDA—Monday evening, November 7th.

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Clerk ..... Frank C. Jordan
Tax Collector ..... J. B. Barber
Auditor ..... J. Cal Ewing
District Attorney ..... J. J. Allen
Public Administrator ..... B. C. Hawes
Assessor ..... Henry P. Dalton
Treasurer ..... Arthur Feidler
Superintendent of Schools ..... S. D. Waterman
Coroner ..... H. B. Mehrmann
Surveyor ..... Geo. L. Nusbaumer
Supervisor, 2d District ..... J. R. Talcott
Supervisor, 3d District ..... W. H. Church

CITY JUSTICES.

Justice ..... J. W. Stetson
Justice ..... Mortimer Smith

OAKLAND TOWNSHIP.

Justice ..... J. G. Quinn
Constable ..... Ed. Weidler
Constable ..... Jack Williamson

ALAMEDA CITY.

Justice ..... H. T. Morris
Constable ..... Geo. E. Clark
Constable ..... George Gray

BROOKLYN TOWNSHIP.

Justice ..... L. D. Inskeep
Constable ..... Harry Cramer
Constable ..... Paul Wuthe

EDEN TOWNSHIP.

Justice ..... William Dale
Justice ..... John Black
Constable ..... W. J. Ramage
Constable ..... D. D. Gates

MURRAY TOWNSHIP.

Justice ..... J. H. Taylor
Constable ..... Larkin Lock
Constable ..... (To be named)

WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP.

Justice ..... S. Sandholt
Justice ..... J. B. Thompson
Constable ..... S. Vandervoort
Constable ..... J. Murphy

LEGISLATIVE STATE TICKET.

Twenty-sixth District ..... Frank Leavitt
Twenty-eighth District ..... E. F. Taylor

ASSEMBLY.

Forty-sixth District ..... Wm. McDonald
Forty-seventh District ..... Joseph R. Knowland
Forty-eighth District ..... Jos. Kelley
Forty-ninth District ..... A. A. McKeen
Fiftieth District ..... J. A. Bliss
Fifty-first District ..... H. E. Wright

How Masons From This County Went Down to Decoto.

No Invitation Arrived Till After the Stated Meetings.

ACTIVITY AMONG THE PYTHIANS.

A Resume of Life and Gaiety Among the Leading Fraternal Orders.

A number of the most interesting events in the fraternal world during the past week will be found recorded below:

A Notable Omission.

There was a large attendance of people at the dedicatory exercises of the Home for Masonic Widows and Orphans at Decoto, but it was patent to those who were present on that day the corner stone of the structure was laid that the number in attendance at that time greatly exceeded that of the later occasion. This was due in he main to two causes. One of these was the absence from this city and State of a number of Masons who otherwise would have attended. The other was the uncertainty which was occasioned by the inaction of some of the committees or sub-committees of arrangements as to the programme that was to be carried out.

The plans which the committees had decided on were not made public until a few days before the exercises were to take place. They were then not given sufficient publicity, especially with respect to the part which Masons of this city and vicinity were to take in the proceedings. While every Mason who read the papers knew when the ceremony was to take place, he had little information otherwise imparted to him.

This occasioned quite a surprise to many members of the craft who are accustomed to the closest attention on the art of committees appointed by them for any purpose.

But there was something beyond this fact, and it was that not a lodge, so far as known, on this side of the bay which received an invitation to take part in the dedicatory exercises in time to have the same acted upon at the stated meeting of the organization.

As a consequence the members of the home organizations did not know whether or not their presence was expected at the ceremonies. It was for that reason that no Masonic branch in this city or county attended the dedication in a body. Each member, in his heart, however, felt that it was not the intention of the San Francisco committee to slight the Masons over here and that some oversight must have been responsible for the omission. Masons here, therefore, made up their minds to attend the exercises in their individual capacity, and when they reached Decoto they lost their identity among the members of the Grand Lodge, with whom they took part in the procession.

The omission, or whatever it may be called, to ask the home Masons to take part has not been allowed to pass without comment, and while forbearance has characterized the comment, Masons, while not desiring to be quoted, have expressed the opinion that they would be pleased to have the brethren on the other side of the bay made aware of the fact that they expect more considerate attention in the future.

In this connection, it may be stated that the craftsmen here were not the only ones who were left in the dark. It was not until about thirty-six hours before the delivery of his grand effort that Rabbi Voorsanger was informed that he was to be the orator of the day. The Rabbi, of course, is an eloquent and scholarly gentleman, and just such a production as that which he delivered and which was published in the Tribune, was expected of him. It is customary, however, to give speakers on such occasions sufficient time to prepare studied addresses so that those addresses may become part of the historical data of the event. But the custom was not carried out in this instance.

In commenting on the seeming inattention of their San Francisco brothers, Oakland Masons recall the effort which they and their wives and kindred made in swelling the proceeds of the Masonic fair in San Francisco, at which $40,000 was raised. No inconsiderable part of that sum was due to the efforts of people of this city and county, and that sum did a great deal of good in enabling the Home to be completed before the day of its dedication.

In taking exception to the loose arrangements which characterized the late celebration, the Masons of Oakland have lost none of their reverence for the tenets of their order, nor abated their loyalty to the principles of the organization, but at the same time regret that on so important an occasion as that of the dedication of the Home there should have been any commission or omission to have marred the harmony of the occasion.

Masonic

At the Grand Lodge of Masons in San Francisco, which has just closed, $7,000 was appropriated for furnishing the Masonic Home at Decoto, in this county, while $15,000 was voted to maintain it until the per capita tax shall be received, which will be in August, 1899, and amounts to about $20,000.

LIVE OAK LODGE.

The second degree will be conferred tomorrow evening in Live Oak Lodge, F. and A. M.

Eastern Star.

The twenty-sixth annual session of the Grand Chapter of the Order of Eastern Star is in session in San Francisco, and is attended by about two hundred and fifty delegates who come from all sections of this State.

This order is particularly strong in this city, having three chapters, viz., Oak Leaf, Oakland, and Unity, which have a very large membership, from which, from time to time, have been selected some of the most exalted officers in the order. Among those now may be mentioned Mrs. M. Partridge, who was the Supreme Matron of the order in the country, and H. D. Rowe of East Oakland, who is now Worthy Grand Patron of the order in California.

At the opening session of the Grand Chapter, Mr. Rowe gave an account of his stewardship during the past year, which made an excellent showing. He then offered words of advice to the members, cautioning them against joining an organization known as the Court of Amaranth, which he claimed was represented as being a higher degree of the Order of Eastern Star. He declared that they should have nothing to do with any organization claiming to be of a higher or lower degree of the Order of Eastern Star.

Among the distinguished past grand officers from this city were present at the opening of the session: Fred L. Button, past grand patron; Zach T. Gilpin, past associate grand patron. The delegates from the several chapters in this county are as follows:

Oak Leaf—Mrs. Kate S. Rowe, Francis A. Fletcher, and Ada D. Hewes.

Unity—Joseph Veisir, Annie McCord.

Carita, Alameda—Augusta T. Fletter, Mary B. McFarland.

Order of Chosen Friends.

Unity Council No. 179, Order Chosen Friends, will initiate three new candidates for membership at its next meeting, Wednesday, October 26th. Members are notified to be present. Some of the grand officers are expected to be in attendance, and a pleasant time is assured to all who attend.

Odd Fellows.

At the grand encampment of Odd Fellows in San Jose, Tuesday last, resolutions greeting President McKinley over the success of the United States in the late war were adopted.

The report of Grand Scribe Barnes showed the number of encampments as ninety-one and the membership at the end of the year 1897 as 5,334, a gain of seventy-one for the year. The report also showed a gain of twenty-six more up to July 1, 1898. He attributed this growth in a large measure to holding the encampments outside of San Francisco, as the order had been brought more prominently before the public in the subordinate jurisdictions.

The financial report was as follows: General fund, with balance of $691.91 on hand October 1, 1897, $3,541.61; disbursements, $2,896.72; balance on hand October 1, 1898, $644.39; mileage fund, including balance October 1, 1897, $4,203.40; paid mileage of Los Angeles session, 1897, $2,623.75; balance in fund October 1, 1898, $1,584.65. The net resources of the Grand Encampment are $2,362.80.

The grand representatives' report shows that there are fifty-four Grand Encampments, 2,656 subordinate bodies, 128,930 patriarchs and total assets of subordinate camps of $1,329,131.59. The assets of California encampments are $156,462.29, or more than one-tenth of the entire assets of the national jurisdiction. The total relief paid by the Patriarchial branch throughout the national jurisdiction is $265,965.15; paid by California, $17,458.15.

HARBOR LODGE.

On Saturday next Harbor lodge of Odd Fellows of this city will pay a fraternal visit to the lodge at Healdsburg. They will go by way of the Tiburon ferry from San Francisco at 3:30. It will be accompanied by its drill team, which will exemplify initiatory work in a manner which can not otherwise than be appreciated by the brothers in Healdsburg.

Knights and Ladies of Honor.

Word has been received from Mrs. L. J. Wheelock, grand protector, that the conference of grand protectors and grand secretaries with the propogating committee of the Supreme Lodge held in Indianapolis last month was a very successful and harmonious meeting.

Oakland Lodge, No. 935, is arranging for an open meeting after the return of the grand protector from the East.

Grand Army.

Nomination for officers of Lyon Post, No. 8, G. A. R., for 1899, will take place on the first Tuesday evening in November.

On Tuesday evening last, resolutions to the memory of the past senior vice commander, William Davenport, were adopted.

Comrades J. S. Carrigan, adjutant; H. H. Woodruff, officer of the day, and past post commander, Colquhoun were appointed a committee to draft memorial resolutions on the death of Samuel Davis.

Remarks were made by Comrades S. D. Waterman, J. A. Colquhoun, C. K. King, H. Longfellow. Comrades Rushmore and Vincent entertained with song and dance.

Fair Fund Social.

On Saturday evening an entertainment will be given in Pythian Hall, corner of Twelfth and Franklin streets for the benefit of the Sacred Heart parish fair fund. The entertainment will be given by the ladies in charge of St. Anthony's table.

A very fine, short program will be given and from 9 o'clock until 12 dancing will be indulged in. A large number of people will no doubt be present.

Ladies of the G. A. R.

The regular monthly social of Phil Sheridan Circle No. 5, Ladies of G. A. R., will be given Tuesday evening, October 25th, in Loring Hall. An interesting program has been prepared which will be followed by dancing. Members of all Grand Army organizations are cordially invited to attend.

United Workmen.

Oak Leaf lodge, No. 35 A. O. U. W., had a well attended meeting Monday evening.

Past master Leimert spoke of the very pleasant time experienced at the meeting of Upchurch lodge of East Oakland and said that several new members were initiated in a very impressive manner by the officers of Upchurch, after which a banquet was spread for the delectation of those present.

Past Master Havers, who was also reiterated Brother Leimert's remarks. By special request, Brother M. Isaacs gave an illustration of his ventriloquial ability and everybody present expressed the idea that Valentine Fox was not in it with Mr. Isaacs. Mr. Isaacs contemplates the hiring of a hall and a new confederate, soon.

Master Workman Gardner of Oakland lodge, No. 2 invited Oak Leaf lodge to a "smoker and an evening at home" which will take place in the lodge room next Friday evening.

By a vote of the lodge, it was decided to visit Pacific lodge Thursday evening, October 20th.

The oysters that the "lefts" ordered from the East for the banquet which they promised to give the "rights" got lost in transit which is considered strange, as it was thought that after such a lapse of time since they were old enough to find the way alone.

Brothers Nichols, Griffith, and Jordan are still on the sick list.

PACIFIC LODGE.

The regular weekly meeting of Pacific Lodge, No. 7, takes place this evening at A. O. U. W. Hall, 1169 Broadway.

The lecture given by W. H. Jordan under the auspices of Pacific Lodge, No. 7, last Tuesday evening was a grand success in every particular. The hall was crowded to the doors, and many were unable to gain admittance. The views of the public and private buildings of the different cities of Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippines were excellent, and the description of them by Brother Jordan very interesting and entertaining.

The pictures of the battleships and their commanders were excellent and brought forth rounds of applause. Taken altogether, it was a most enjoyable evening, and was so voted by all present.

During a brief intermission Miss Inez Cook gave a vocal solo, accompanied on the piano by Miss Moore.

At the conclusion of the lecture the audience joined in singing "America," Brother W. J. Oakes leading.

E. J. Fennon, J. S. Gilmore and C. R. Haswell were the committee of arrangements.

The benefit tendered to the family of George C. Hunt, who was so suddenly stricken with insanity a few weeks ago, will take place at Chapman Hall on Friday evening, October 28th. It will be held under the auspices of Pacific Lodge, No. 7, A. O. U. W., and Athens Camp, No. 457, Woodmen of the World.

The committee of arrangements is working hard to make it a success and promises a fine program. At the conclusion of the literary and musical part there will be dancing. The tickets are 50 cents and can be procured of the members of either of the above organizations or at the door on the evening of the entertainment.

Knights of Pythias

The largest and most enthusiastic convention of Piedmont Lodge, No. 172, K. of P., known in its history was held last Monday night.

The Castle Hall was packed with members of the fraternity, large delegations being present from Alameda, No. 49; Amazon, No. 182; Live Oak, No. 17; Liberty, No. 35; West Oakland, No. 141; Brooklyn, No. 32; University, No. 162; Oakland, No. 103; Sequoia of San Francisco; Cedar, No. 196, of Dutch Flat; Centennial of Stockton and others from St. Helena, Riverside, Visalia, Oklahoma, Angel's Camp, Butte, Montana, Santa Rosa, Grass Valley, Lodi, Ohio and Portland, Oregon.

The cause of this large gathering of the fraternity was a desire to witness the conferring of the knight rank in amplified form by the well known team of Oakland Lodge.

Esquires Twist and Laltig being in waiting, the team accomplished its work in its usual precise, elaborate and up-to-date manner.

Refreshments were then served, to which all gave ample justice. After the banquet a flow of oratory intermingled with pathos and humor was indulged in by Past Grand Chancellors Samuels and Morrison and several others. The festivities were kept up until a late hour.

Professors Bonham and Journal furnished excellent music for the occasion.

OAKLAND LODGE, NO. 103.

Tomorrow night Oakland Lodge, No. 103, will work in the page rank. A large attendance is expected. Sojourning members of the order who have never witnessed the impressive and elaborate manner in which the lodge confers this rank should avail themselves of the opportunity and be present on the occasion.

Grand Orient

A meeting of Alameda Council, No. 1, Grand Orient, will be held at Pythian Castle tomorrow night. Several pilgrims will be initiated into its mysteries, and the annual election of officers will take place.

Portuguese Union.

At the recent meeting of the Supreme Council of the U. P. E. C., known as the Portuguese Union, the councils of the order in this county succeeded in securing a number of the supreme officers, as will appear from the following:

Supreme president, V. T. Braga of San Leandro; supreme vice president, A. Penhelro of Benicia; supreme secretary, L. J. Martin of San Leandro; supreme treasurer, J. G. Mattos Jr. of Centerville; supreme M. C., Joseph Bernardo of Haywards; supreme G. G., J. Velladao of West Oakland; supreme M., Antonio Mattenho of San Francisco; supreme medical examiner, J. S. A. Cabra of Centerville; supreme director, A. Fonte of East Oakland; supreme director, Joseph Pimentel of Haywards; supreme director, A. F. Cunha of Milpitas; supreme director, F. J. Cunha of East Oakland; supreme director, Joseph Neves of Pleasanton.

Y. M. I. Notes.

An entertainment and social is to be given by Borromean Council in the near future. R. E. Fazackerly, Dr. C. J. McCarthy, John Doyle and N. J. Hoey are the committee in charge.

Everything is in readiness for a good time at the entertainment and dance to be given Thursday evening, October 27th, at Cameron Hall, East Sixteenth street and Thirteenth avenue, by Council No. 31.

The members of Council No. 6, at their last regular meeting, enjoyed a very pleasant evening in listening to an entertaining and instructive discourse by Henry Kugleberge, president of the board of grand directors. After his remarks the evening smoker was opened.

Degree of Honor.

Ivy Lodge, No. 4, Degree of Honor, A. O. U. W., had its customary attendance Wednesday evening.

Under the head of "good of the order" interesting remarks were made by Grand Recorder Mrs. Poland, Past Chief of Honor Mrs. Cogan and Mrs. Hodges, Sister Kays and Brothers Leimert, Poland, Mitchell, Cogan and Decker.

Brother and Sister Poland resigned from the drill team, which action was very much regretted by all.

Sister Bertie Littlefield was elected captain of the drill team and Brother Marks drill instructor, which met with the hearty approval of the lodge.

The apron and necktie party has been postponed until Wednesday evening, November 2d, upon which occasion an admittance fee of 10 cents will be charged, every member being allowed to bring his or her friends. This affair is going to be the social and artistic success of the season in A. O. U. W. circles.

The new attraction committee for next Wednesday evening, Sisters Winslow, Orelup and Small, will present a very enjoyable program.

After lodge adjourned the drill team went through a course of instruction with credit to its members and delight to those who witnessed the pretty evolutions of this interesting adjunct of the Degree of Honor.

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The Hon. Webster Davis will address the people of Oakland on the issues of the campaign on Monday, October 24th. The San Jose Mercury has the following to say about the distinguished gentleman:

"Mr. Davis is one of the most fascinating and effective Republican speakers in the United States, and while his services have been secured in this State in the interest of the Republican ticket, and but few addresses will be made by him, the value of his powers of oratory is by no means confined entirely to partisanship, as he is distinct and typical representative of that elevated class of speakers who are thrilling and stimulating all Americans with the loftiest patriotism and most profound loyalty to those sentiments, now fully aroused, which tend to advance our nation in statesmanship, humanity, and commercialism. Mr. Davis' ability in many respects resembles that of Mr. Bryan. He is a young man of fine presence, fine voice and fine instincts. His flow of words is never interrupted, and he appeals especially to the ambitions of the young men who are sure to take a prominent interest in our governmental affairs. Mr. Davis' home is Kansas City, Missouri. In 1894 he was elected Mayor of that city as a Republican. During the campaign of 1896 he first used his great powers of oratory in Missouri. The effectiveness of his addresses was so marked and his value so distinctive that President McKinley insisted upon rewarding him fittingly and he was nominated and confirmed as Assistant Secretary of the Interior. He had not delivered more than one address in the East before many States were begging for his presence to assist in campaign work. His addresses in New York, Connecticut, and Ohio, aroused an unprecedented amount of enthusiasm, and his address at Gettysburg a year ago was a notable one. Seldom do the people of San Jose have an opportunity of hearing a speaker of Mr. Davis' class, and San Joseans are indeed to be congratulated that this city is one of the few places selected at which he can be heard. The arrangements for this meeting will be most complete and thorough, and it will be unquestionably an occasion of prominence and enthusiasm in the Republican fight of this year."

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

THE UNION SAVINGS BANK (a corporation), Plaintiff, vs. CARRIE E. CLEMENT ETC., ET AL., Defendants. No. 15,049.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, of the State of California, on the 17th day of October, A. D. 1898, in the above entitled action, wherein The Union Savings Bank (a corporation), the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against Carrie E. Clement, a widow, Thomas Moran, M. H. Eastman and M. H. Eastman, trustee, defendants, on the 11th day of October, A. D., 1898, for the sum of thirty-six hundred ($3,600.00) dollars principal, in United States gold coin, together with interest, costs and attorney fees, wherein said judgment was also rendered in favor of defendant and cross-complainant Thomas Moran, against the said defendants Carrie E. Clement, M. H. Eastman and M. H. Eastman, trustee, for the sum of $39[illegible], including interest, cost and attorney fees, said judgment and decree were on the 15th day of October, A. D. 1898, recorded in Judgment Book No. 36 of said Court, at page 261, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northern line of Eighteenth street with the western line of Brush street, and running thence westerly along said line of Eighteenth street one hundred and fifty (150) feet; thence at a right angle northerly one hundred (100) feet; thence at a right angle easterly fifty (50) feet; thence at a right angle southerly fifty (50) feet; thence at a right angle easterly one hundred (100) feet to said western line of Brush street, and thence southerly along said last named line fifty (50) feet to the point of beginning.

Being lots numbers 10 and 11 in block "R" as the same are delineated and so designated upon a certain map entitled "Map of the Barnes Tract, Oakland," filed January 21st, 1869, in the office of the County Recorder of said Alameda county.

Public notice is hereby given that on

MONDAY, THE 14TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, A. D. 1898,

At ten o'clock A. M. of that day, in front of the Broadway entrance of the Court House of the county of Alameda, in the city of Oakland, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for gold coin of the United States.

Oakland, Cal., October 19th, 1898.

J. B. LANKTREE,
A Commissioner appointed by said Superior Court.

REED & NUSBAUMER, Attorneys for Plaintiff, Oakland, Cal.

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COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

THE UNION SAVINGS BANK (a corporation), Plaintiff, vs. AUGUST SCHREIBER ET AL., Defendants. No. 15,057. Dept. 3.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the county of Alamoda, of the State of California, on the 17th day of October, A. D. 1898, in the above entitled action, wherein The Union Savings Bank (a corporation), the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against August Schreiber, John Stewart, W. Rigby Jr., A. W. Schreiber Jr. and V. Heck, defendants, on the 11th day of October, A. D. 1898, for the sum of four thousand ($4,000 00-100) dollars principal, in United States gold coin, together with interest, costs, attorney fees, taxes, advances and insurance premium; which said judgment and decree were on the 13th day of October, A. D. 1898, recorded in Judgment Book No. 36 of said Court, at page 253, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the city of Alameda, county of Alameda, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the westerly line of Fourteenth (formerly Morton) street, distant thereon northerly from the northerly line of Central avenue one hundred and thirty-five (135) feet, and running thence northerly along said westerly line of Fourteenth street sixty-five (65) feet; thence at a right angle westerly one hundred and fifty (150) feet; thence at a right angle southerly sixty-five (65) feet, and thence at a right angle easterly one hundred and fifty (150) feet to the said westerly line of Fourteenth street and the point of beginning. Being lots numbers 25 and 26 and the southerly 15 feet of lot number 27 in block number 29 as numbered and delineated on a certain map entitled "Map of Part of the Property of Charles L. Fitch, Deceased, known as the Homestead of Mary A. Fitch," etc., filed April 21st, 1874, in the office of the County Recorder of said county of Alameda.

Public notice is hereby given that on

MONDAY, THE 14TH DAY OF NOVEMBER, A. D. 1898,

At ten o'clock A. M. of that day, in front of the Broadway entrance of the Court House of the county of Alameda, in the city of Oakland, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for gold coin of the United States.

Oakland, Cal., October 19th, 1898.

J. B. LANKTREE,
A Commissioner appointed by said Superior Court.
REED & NUSBAUMER, Attorneys for Plaintiff, Oakland, Cal.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

THOMAS MORAN, Plaintiff, vs. THOMAS WARD, MARY WARD, JOHN J. O'ROURKE, JOHN DOE, JANE DOE AND RICHARD ROE, Defendants. No. 15,156. Dept. 2.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, of the State of California, on the 2nd day of September, A. D. 1898, in the above entitled action, wherein Thomas Moran, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against Thomas Ward, Mary Ward, John J. O'Rourke, defendants, on the 1st day of September, A. D. 1898, for the sum of four hundred eighty-three and 62-100 dollars, in United States gold coin, together with costs and attorney fees, aggregating with said principal the sum of $533 37; which said judgment and decree were on the 2nd day of September, A. D. 1898, recorded in Judgment Book No. 37 of said Court, at page 5, I am commanded to sell all those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the township of Brooklyn, county of Alameda, State of California, and are bounded and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Lots numbers sixty-five (65), sixty-six (66), sixty-seven (67), sixty-eight (68), sixty-nine (69), seventy (70), seventy-one (71), seventy-two (72), seventy-three (73) and seventy-four (74), as laid down and delineated on a certain map entitled "Map of the Rose Tract, Brooklyn Township, Alameda County, California, Surveyed by Geo. L. Nusbaumer, County Surveyor," filed May 2, 1891, in the office of the County Recorder of said Alameda county.

Public notice is hereby given that on

SATURDAY, THE 29TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1898,

At 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, in front of the Broadway entrance of the Court House of the county of Alameda, in the city of Oakland, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for gold coin of the United States.

Oakland, Cal., September 8, 1898.

CLARENCE CROWELL,
A Commissioner appointed by said Superior Court.
JOHNSON & SHAW, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Cleophas Gregoire, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Cleophas Gregoire, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at the office of the undersigned, No. 1118 Broadway street, Oakland, California, which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with said estate of Cleophas Gregoire, deceased.

WILLIAM H. KNIGHT,
Administrator of the estate of Cleophas Gregoire, deceased.
Dated Oakland, October 13th, 1898.
MARTIN & ROBINSON, Attorneys for Administrator, No. 921 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

LEGAL.

NOTICE.

Taxes for Sanitary Purposes for the Year 1898, in Fruit Vale Sanitary District No. 1, in the County of Alameda, State of California.

To all taxpayers in Fruitvale Sanitary District No. 1 in the county of Alameda, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Tax Collector of the county of Alameda, State of California, is in receipt of the assessment list or book of said Sanitary District for the year 1898, and that in accordance with the provisions of Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment list or book for the year 1898, on all property within the said Fruitvale Sanitary District No. 1, have been received by me, and that the taxes as shown by said assessment list or book are now due and payable at my office in the Court House of said county, in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, California, every day (except legal holidays) during office hours after the second Monday in October, 1898, and as follows:

The taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on real property in the said Fruitvale Sanitary District No. 1 in said county of Alameda, will be due and payable on the second Monday in October, in the year 1898, at my office in the Court House of said Alameda county, situated in the city of Oakland, in said county, every day (not a legal holiday) during office hours as fixed by law, and will be delinquent on the

LAST MONDAY IN NOVEMBER, 1898.

At six o'clock P. M. of said day, and unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April, 1899, at 6 o'clock P. M. of said day, an additional five per cent will be added thereto.

And notice is hereby further given that the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property in said Fruitvale Sanitary District No. 1, for the year 1898, will be payable to the undersigned, Tax Collector of said Alameda county, as aforesaid, at the office of the said Tax Collector, as aforesaid, on and after the first Monday in January, 1899, and will be delinquent on the last Monday in April, 1899, at 6 o'clock P. M. of said day, and that unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

Notice is hereby further given that all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

And notice is hereby further given that in accordance with said Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California, and after the

SECOND MONDAY IN OCTOBER, 1898,

All the taxes assessed and levied in said Fruitvale Sanitary District No. 1, whether first or second installment, before delinquency thereof, or if delinquent, together with the percentage added thereto as is above set forth, may be paid to me at my office as aforesaid, at any time during business hours as aforesaid, and after said

SECOND MONDAY IN OCTOBER, 1898.

And upon such full payment being made, full receipts for the taxes, both first and second installments, will be given in accordance with law.

Dated at Oakland, California, this 11th day of October, 1898.

JAMES B. BARBER,
Tax Collector of the County of Alameda, State of California.

Notice to Contractors.

Office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, Oakland, Cal., Oct. 3rd, 1898.

Pursuant to an order of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda county, California, notice is hereby given that the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors will, at his office in the Hall of Records in the city of Oakland, up to the hour of 10 A. M. on the 7th day of November, 1898, receive bids for the construction of a bridge crossing the Estuary of San Antonio on the line of Webster street, between Oakland and Alameda, in accordance with plans and specifications on file in said office, subject to the inspection of persons desiring to bid.

Each bid must include as a single proposal both the removal of the foundations and superstructure of the old bridge and the construction of the new bridge, with the foundations and superstructure.

Each bid must be accompanied by a check certified by some responsible bank in the State of California, for 10 per cent of the amount of the bid, made payable to Frank C. Jordan, Clerk of the Board; the check so deposited by the successful bidder to be forfeited as liquidated damages unless such bidder, within ten days after the award, enter into a contract in due form for the performance of the work within six months after the execution of said contract, and furnish a bond with sureties, satisfactory to the Board, conditioned for the faithful performance of such contract.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

(Seal) FRANK C. JORDAN,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Alameda county, State of California.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

H. D. FERSON, Plaintiff, vs. JOHN HAWKINS, HAMILTON LEE, JOHN DOE, JANE DOE and RICHARD ROE, Defendants. No. 15,335. Dept. 1

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, of the State of California, on the 29th day of September, A. D., 1898, in the above entitled action, wherein H. D. Ferson, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against John Hawkins and Hamilton Lee, defendants, on the 8th day of September, A. D., 1898, for the sum of two hundred and fifty and 00-100 dollars in United States gold coin, together with interest, costs and attorney fees, aggregating with said principal the sum of $429.83, which said judgment and decree were on the 23d day of September, A. D., 1898, recorded in Judgment Book No. 36 of said Court, at page 193, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land and real property situate, lying and being in the Township of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot No. seven (7), of subdivision according to the map entitled "Subdivision seventeen (17), Glen Echo Tract, Oakland Tp," etc., filed in the office of the County Recorder of said Alameda county, July 18th, 1890.

Public notice is hereby given that on

SATURDAY, THE 22ND DAY OF OCTOBER, A. D. 1898,

At 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, in front of the Broadway entrance of the Court House of the County of Alameda, in the City of Oakland, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for gold coin of the United States.

Oakland, Cal., September 27, 1898.

CLARENCE CROWELL,
A Commissioner Appointed by said Superior Court.
JOHNSON & SHAW, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

LEGAL.

NOTICE.

Taxes for Sanitary Purposes for the Year 1898, in Piedmont Sanitary District, in the County of Alameda, State of California.

To all taxpayers in Piedmont Sanitary District in the county of Alameda, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Tax Collector of the county of Alameda, State of California, is in receipt of the assessment list or book of said Sanitary District for the year 1898, and that in accordance with the provisions of Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment list or book for the year 1898, on all property within the said Piedmont Sanitary District, have been received by me, and that the taxes as shown by said assessment list or book are now due and payable at my office in the Court House of said county of Alameda, in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, every day (except legal holidays) during office hours, after the second Monday in October, 1898, and as follows:

The taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on real property in the said Piedmont Sanitary District in said county of Alameda, will be due and payable on the second Monday in October, in the year 1898, at my office in the Court House of said Alameda county, situated in the city of Oakland, in said county, every day (not a legal holiday) during office hours as fixed by law, and will be delinquent on the

LAST MONDAY IN NOVEMBER, 1898,

At six o'clock P. M. of said day, and unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April, 1899, at 6 o'clock P. M. of said day, an additional five per cent will be added thereto.

And notice is hereby further given that the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property in said Piedmont Sanitary District for the year 1898, will be payable to the undersigned, Tax Collector of said Alameda county, as aforesaid, on and after the first Monday in January, 1899, and will be delinquent on the last Monday in April, 1899, at 6 o'clock P. M. of said day, and that unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

Notice is hereby further given that all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

And notice is hereby further given that in accordance with said Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California, and after the

SECOND MONDAY IN OCTOBER, 1898,

All the taxes assessed and levied in said Piedmont Sanitary District, whether first or second installment, before delinquency thereof, or if delinquent, together with the percentage added thereto as is above set forth, may be paid to me at my office as aforesaid, at any time during business hours as aforesaid, and after said

SECOND MONDAY IN OCTOBER, 1898.

And upon such full payment being made, full receipts for the taxes, both first and second installments, will be given in accordance with law.

Dated at Oakland, California, this 11th day of October, 1898.

JAMES B. BARBER,
Tax Collector of the County of Alameda, State of California.

NOTICE.

Taxes for Sanitary Purposes for the Year 1898, in Golden Gate Sanitary District, in the County of Alameda, State of California.

To all taxpayers in Golden Gate Sanitary District in the county of Alameda, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Tax Collector of the county of Alameda, State of California, is in receipt of the assessment list or book of said Sanitary District for the year 1898, and that in accordance with the provisions of Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment list or book for the year 1898, on all property within the said Golden Gate Sanitary District, have been received by me, and that the taxes as shown by said assessment list or book are now due and payable at my office in the Court House of said county, in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, California, every day (except legal holidays) during office hours after the second Monday in October, 1898, and as follows:

The taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on real property in the said Golden Gate Sanitary District in said county of Alameda, will be due and payable on the second Monday in October, in the year 1898, at my office in the Court House of said Alameda county, situated in the city of Oakland, in said county, every day (not a legal holiday) during office hours as fixed by law, and will be delinquent on the

LAST MONDAY IN NOVEMBER, 1898,

At six o'clock P. M. of said day, and unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April, 1899, at 6 o'clock P. M. of said day, an additional five per cent will be added thereto.

And notice is hereby further given that the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property in said Golden Gate Sanitary District, for the year 1898, will be payable to the undersigned, Tax Collector of said Alameda county, as aforesaid, at the office of the said Tax Collector, as aforesaid, on and after the first Monday in January, 1899, and will be delinquent on the last Monday in April, 1899, at 6 o'clock P. M. of said day, and that unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

Notice is hereby further given that all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

And notice is hereby further given that in accordance with said Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California, and after the

SECOND MONDAY IN OCTOBER, 1898,

All the taxes assessed and levied in said Golden Gate Sanitary District, whether first or second installment, before delinquency thereof, or if delinquent, together with the percentage added thereto as is above set forth, may be paid to me at my office as aforesaid, at any time during business hours as aforesaid, and after said

SECOND MONDAY IN OCTOBER, 1898.

And upon such full payment being made, full receipts for the taxes, both first and second installments, will be given in accordance with law.

Dated at Oakland, California, this 11th day of October, 1898.

JAMES B. BARBER,
Tax Collector of the County of Alameda, State of California.

NOTICE TO PENSIONERS.

By reason of instructions recently received from the Commissioner of Pensions, it will be necessary hereafter, when appearing at this office to swear to pension vouchers, for all pensioners to exhibit their certificates and produce witnesses who are cognizant of the facts to which they testify.

In the future no deputy will be permitted to act as a witness.

FRANK C. JORDAN,
County Clerk Alameda County.

NOTICE.

NOTICE—All persons are hereby cautioned not to trust any one on account of the Tribune Publishing Company without a written order signed by an officer of this corporation. Any indebtedness incurred without said order will not be recognized.

TRIBUNE PUBLISHING CO.,
By W. E. DARGIE, President.

LEGAL.

NOTICE.

State and County Taxes For the Year 1898.

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR the year 1898.

To all taxpayers in the county of Alameda, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Tax Collector of the county of Alameda, State of California, is in receipt of the assessment book of said county of Alameda, and that in accordance with the provisions of Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment book for State and county taxes for the year 1898, on all property within the county of Alameda, has been received by me, and that the taxes as shown by said assessment book are now due and payable at my office in the Court House of said county of Alameda, in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, every day (except legal holidays) during office hours, after the second Monday in October, 1898, and as follows:

The taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on real property in the said county of Alameda, will be due and payable on the

SECOND MONDAY IN OCTOBER, IN THE YEAR 1898.

At my office in the Court House of said Alameda county, situated in the city of Oakland, in said county, every day (not a legal holiday) during office hours as fixed by law, and will be delinquent on the

LAST MONDAY IN NOVEMBER, 1898,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day; and that unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April, 1899, five per cent will be added thereto.

And notice is further given that the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property in said Alameda county for the year 1898, will be payable to the undersigned, Tax Collector of said Alameda county, as aforesaid, at the office of the Tax Collector, as aforesaid, on and after the first Monday in January, 1899, and will be delinquent on the

LAST MONDAY IN APRIL, 1899,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day, and that unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

Notice is hereby further given that all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

And notice is hereby further given that in accordance with said Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California, and after the second Monday in October, 1898, all the taxes, whether first or second installment, before delinquency thereof, or if delinquent, together with the percentage added thereto as is above set forth, may be paid to me at my office, as aforesaid, at any time during business hours as aforesaid, and after said

SECOND MONDAY IN OCTOBER, 1898,

And upon such full payment being made, full receipts for the taxes, both first and second installments, will be given in accordance with law.

Dated at Oakland, California, this 11th day of October, 1898.

JAMES B. BARBER,
Tax Collector of the County of Alameda, State of California.

Do Not Lose Your Vote.

Office of the County Clerk Alameda County, Cal.

NOTICE IS HEREBY given that all citizens WHOSE NAMES ARE NOW ON THE LAST PRINTED GREAT REGISTER OF ALAMEDA COUNTY, issued October 6, 1896, and who wish to vote at the General Election to be held November 8, 1898, must if they have moved since the date of the last Presidential Election make affidavit and have their registration changed to their present place of residence.

That said transfer affidavits can be taken up to and including October 12, 1898. That deputies throughout the county are authorized to take transfer affidavits in the different towns and precincts of the county without charge. Affidavits can be sworn to before any Justice of the Peace or Notary Public.

That all who make affidavit for transfer will receive postal containing facts of entry contained in affidavit.

Owing to the decision of Judge Prewett of Placer County, that where an entire new registration has not been ordered, registration must continue up to 15 days before November 8, this office has resumed work of registration and affidavits will be taken up to that date.

All voters are requested to see that they are registered in the right precinct before registration closes.

FRANK C. JORDAN,
County Clerk.
Sept. 7, 1898.

LEGAL.

POSTPONEMENT OF SALE.

Notice is hereby given that in the matter of sale to pay assessments delinquent, together with costs of advertising, in the matter of the opening and widening of Commerce street in the city of Oakland, as to be held by me in front of my office, City Hall, in the city of Oakland, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. on Thursday, the 29th day of September, 1898, that said sale was commenced at said time and place, but that pursuant to, and by reason of an order and injunction made and issued out of and by the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California, dated September 26, 1898, by which I was restrained and enjoined from selling or offering for sale any parcels of land under said assessment, and pursuant to said order and injunction, the further proceedings under said sale and notice of sale were by me at said time and place postponed until the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. of September 30, 1898, at the same place, and that such proceedings and further proceedings under said notice of sale and sale thereunder would be by me postponed from day to day until ten o'clock A. M. of the succeeding day until said injunction be released dismissed or made permanent, and that, upon the dissolution of such injunction I will proceed at 10 o'clock on the day following such dissolution with such sale and continue the same until the completion thereof.

Dated September 29, 1898.

M. K. MILLER,
Superintendent of Streets of the city of Oakland.

TENTH AVENUE OPENING.

Street Superintendent's Notice Requiring Payment of Assessments.

Office of the Superintendent of Streets, Oakland, Cal., September 27, 1898.

In compliance with the law, notice is hereby given that on the 26d day of September, A. D., 1898, I received from the City Clerk of the city of Oakland and the Clerk of the City Council of said city, a certified copy of the written report, assessment and plat accompanying the same, made by the commissioners appointed by the City Council of the city of Oakland, to assess benefits and damages and have general supervision of the proposed work and improvement of the opening and extending of Tenth avenue from the northeastern line of East Twenty-second street to the southwestern line of East Twenty-third street and also from the northeastern line of East Twenty-third street to the southwestern line of East Twenty-fourth street in said city of Oakland, which said report, assessment and plat were filed by said commissioners in the office of the clerk of said City Council on the 15th day of August, A. D., 1898, and passed upon, confirmed, approved and adopted (after notice given of the day fixed upon for hearing said report) by said City Council, at a meeting thereof, held on the 22d day of September, A. D., 1898, and that said assessment therein contained is now due and payable, and is a lien upon all property contained and described therein, as therein assessed for its proportion of the cost of said improvement as shown by said assessment.

Notice is also given that all sums levied and assessed in and by said assessment roll are due and payable immediately, and that the payment of each of the said sums respectively is to be made to me within thirty (30) days from the date of the first publication of this notice, to-wit: thirty days from September 27th, 1898, and that all assessments not paid before the expiration of said thirty (30) days will become and will be declared to be delinquent, and thereafter the sum of five (5) per cent upon the amount of such delinquent assessment together with the cost of advertising each delinquent assessment, will be added thereto.

Dated September 27th, 1898.

M. K. MILLER,
Superintendent of Streets of the City of Oakland and Street Superintendent of the City of Oakland.

NOTICE.

Taxes for Sanitary Purposes for the Year 1898, in Fruit Vale Sanitary District No. 2, in the County of Alameda, State of California.

To all taxpayers in Fruitvale Sanitary District No. 2 in the county of Alameda, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Tax Collector of the county of Alameda, State of California, is in receipt of the assessment list or book of said Sanitary District for the year 1898, and that in accordance with the provisions of Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment list or book for the year 1898, on all property within the said Fruitvale Sanitary District No. 2, have been received by me, and that the taxes as shown by said assessment list or book are now due and payable at my office in the Court House of said county, in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, California, every day (except legal holidays) during office hours after the second Monday in October, 1898, and as follows:

The taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on real property in the said Fruitvale Sanitary District No. 2 in said county of Alameda, will be due and payable on the second Monday in October, in the year 1898, at my office in the Court House of said Alameda county, situated in the city of Oakland, in said county, every day (not a legal holiday) during office hours as fixed by law, and will be delinquent on the

LAST MONDAY IN NOVEMBER, 1898,

At six o'clock P. M. of said day, and unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April, 1899, at 6 o'clock P. M. of said day, an additional five per cent will be added thereto.

And notice is hereby further given that the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property in said Fruitvale Sanitary District No. 2, for the year 1898, will be payable to the undersigned, Tax Collector of said Alameda county, as aforesaid, at the office of the said Tax Collector, as aforesaid, on and after the first Monday in January, 1899, and will be delinquent on the last Monday in April, 1899, at 6 o'clock P. M. of said day, and that unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

Notice is hereby further given that all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

And notice is hereby further given that in accordance with said Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California, and after the

SECOND MONDAY IN OCTOBER, 1898,

All the taxes assessed and levied in said Fruitvale Sanitary District No. 2, whether first or second installment, before delinquency thereof, or if delinquent, together with the percentage added thereto as is above set forth, may be paid to me at my office as aforesaid, at any time during business hours as aforesaid, and after said

SECOND MONDAY IN OCTOBER, 1898.

And upon such full payment being made, full receipts for the taxes, both first and second installments, will be given in accordance with law.

Dated at Oakland, California, this 11th day of October, 1898.

JAMES B. BARBER,
Tax Collector of the County of Alameda, State of California.

PROCLAMATION.

State of California, Executive Department, Sacramento, July 30, 1898.

Whereas, The Legislature of the State of California, at its thirty-second session, beginning on the fourth day of January, A. D. 1897, two-thirds of all the members elected to each of the two houses of said Legislature voting in favor thereof, proposed the following described amendments to the Constitution of the State of California, to-wit:

AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE.
(Being Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 41.)

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the section eighteen of article eleven of the Constitution, in relation to revenue and taxation, by which it is proposed to amend said section to read as follows:

Section 18. No county, city, town, township, board of education or school district shall incur any indebtedness or liability in any manner or for any purpose exceeding in any year the income and revenue provided for it for such year, without the assent of two-thirds of the qualified electors thereof, voting at an election to be held for that purpose, nor unless before, or at the time of incurring such indebtedness, provision shall be made for the collection of an annual tax sufficient to pay the interest on such indebtedness as it falls due, and also provision to constitute a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof on or before maturity, which shall not exceed forty years from the time of contracting the same; provided, however, that the city and county of San Francisco may at any time pay the unpaid claims with interest thereon for materials furnished to and work done for said city and county during the forty-third and forty-fourth fiscal years, out of the income and revenue of any succeeding year or years; provided, that any and all claims for making, repairing, altering, or for any work done upon or for any material furnished for any street, lane, alley, court, place or sidewalk, or for the construction of any sewer or sewers in said city or county are hereby excepted from the provisions of this section; and in determining any claim permitted to be paid by this section, no statute of limitations shall apply in any manner; and provided further, that the city of Vallejo, in Solano county, may pay its existing indebtedness incurred in the construction of its water-works, whenever two-thirds of the electors thereof voting at an election held for that purpose, shall so decide. Any indebtedness or liability incurred contrary to this provision, with the exception hereinbefore recited, shall be void.

AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO.
(Being Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 16.)

A resolution proposing to the people of the State of California an amendment to the Constitution of the State, by adding a new section, to be known and designated as section seven and one-half, article eleven thereof, providing for the framing, by the inhabitants of counties, of local county government acts for their own government. The said proposed new section to read as follows:

Section 7½. The inhabitants of any county may frame a county government act for their own government, relating to the matters hereinafter specified, and consistent with, and subject to, the Constitution and laws of this State, by causing a board of fifteen freeholders, who have been, for at least five years, qualified electors of such county, to be elected by the qualified electors of such county, at any general or special election, whose duty it shall be, within ninety days after such election, to prepare and propose a county government act for such county, which shall be signed in duplicate by the members of such board, or a majority of them, and returned, one copy thereof to the Board of Supervisors or other legislative body of such county, and the other copy to be sent to the Recorder of deeds of the county. Such proposed county government act shall then be published in two papers of general circulation in such county, or if there be not two such papers, then in one only, for at least twenty days, and within not less than thirty days after such publication it shall be submitted to the qualified electors of such county, at a general or special election, and if a majority of such qualified electors voting thereon shall ratify the same, it shall thereafter be submitted to the Legislature for its rejection or approval, as a whole, without power of alteration or amendment, and if approved by a majority of the members elected to each house it shall be the county government act of such county, and shall in such case become the organic law thereof and supersede any existing county government act, and all amendments thereof, and all special laws inconsistent with such county government act.

A copy of such county government act, certified by the President of the Board of Supervisors or other legislative body of such county, and authenticated by the seal of such county, setting forth the submission of such county government act to the electors and its ratification by them, shall be made in duplicate and deposited, one in the office of the Secretary of State, the other, after being recorded in the office of the Recorder of deeds in the county, among the archives of the county.

All courts shall take judicial notice thereof. The county government act so ratified may be amended, at intervals of not less than two years, by proposals therefor, submitted by the legislative authority of the county, to the qualified electors thereof, at a general or special election held at least forty days after the publication of such proposals for twenty days in a newspaper of general circulation in such county, and ratified by at least three-fifths of the qualified electors voting thereon, and approved by the Legislature as herein provided for the approval of the county government act. In submitting any such county government act, any alternative article or proposition may be presented for the choice of the voters, and may be voted on separately without prejudice to others.

It shall be competent in all county government acts framed under the authority given by this section, to provide for the manner in which, the times at which, and the terms for which the several township and county officers, other than Judges of the Superior Court, shall be elected and appointed; for their compensation; for the number of such officers, for the consolidation or segregation of offices, for the number of deputies that each officer shall have, and for the compensation payable to each of such deputies, for the manner in which, the times in which and the terms for which the members of all boards of election shall be elected or appointed; and for the constitution, regulation, compensation and government of such boards, and of their clerks and attaches; also, to prescribe the manner and method by which all elections by the people shall be conducted; and may in addition determine the tests and conditions upon which electors, political parties and organizations may participate in any primary election.

Whenever any county has, in the manner and method herein pointed out adopted any county government act, and the Legislature as aforesaid, the directions of sections four and five of this article providing for the uniformity of a system of county governments throughout the State, and likewise providing for the election and appointment of officers, and the regulation of their compensation, shall not apply. Said county government act shall, as to any of the matters hereinabove provided for and declared by such county government act, not be subject to any law or amendment enacted by the Legislature, except by amendment first submitted to the electors and ratified in the manner hereinabove set forth.

AMENDMENT NUMBER THREE.
(Being Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 44.)

A resolution proposing to the people of the State of California an amendment to the Constitution of the State, by adding a new section, to be known and designated as section five and one-half, article six, thereby providing for the organization of a court, to be known as the Court of Claims. The said proposed new section to read as follows:

Section 5½. The Court of Claims shall consist of any three Judges of the Superior Court, who may be requested by the Governor to hold court at the regular terms thereof. The Court of Claims shall have exclusive jurisdiction to hear and determine all claims of every kind and character against the State, under such laws as may be passed by the Legislature, and its judgment thereon shall be final. The terms of the Court of Claims shall be held as follows:

In the city of Los Angeles, commencing on the second Monday of March;

In the city and county of San Francisco, commencing on the second Monday in July, and

In the city of Sacramento, commencing on the second Monday of November of each year.

The Judges holding such term of court shall receive no extra compensation therefor, but shall receive their actual expenses, to be paid out of the general fund of the State Treasury. The Legislature shall enact all laws necessary to organize such court, to provide the proceedings thereof and to carry out the provisions of this section.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FOUR.
(Being Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 37.)

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the Constitution of the State, amending article eleven, by adding a new section thereto, to be known as section number five and one-half, relating to consolidated city and county governments. The said proposed new section to read as follows:

Section 5½. The provisions of section four and five of this article shall not, nor shall any legislation passed pursuant thereto, apply to any consolidated city and county government, now existing or hereafter formed, which shall have become, or shall become, organized under section seven, or secure a charter under section eight of this article.

AMENDMENT NUMBER FIVE.
(Being Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 36.)

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment of section fifteen and section sixteen of article five of the Constitution of the State of California, by which it is proposed to amend said sections to read as follows:

Section 15. A Lieutenant Governor shall be elected at the same time and place and in the same manner as the Governor, and his term of office and his qualifications shall be the same. He shall be President of the Senate, but shall only have a casting veto therein.

Section 16. In case of the impeachment of the Governor, or his removal from office, death, inability to discharge the powers and duties of his office, resignation or absence from the State, the powers and duties of the office shall devolve upon the Lieutenant Governor for the residue of the term, or until the disability shall cease. And should the Lieutenant Governor be impeached, displaced, resign, die or become incapable of performing the duties of his office, or be absent from the State, the President pro tempore of the Senate shall act as Governor until the vacancy in the office of Governor shall be filled at the next general election when members of the Legislature shall be chosen, or until such disability of the Lieutenant Governor shall cease. In case of a vacancy in the office of Governor for any of the reasons above named, and neither the Lieutenant Governor nor the President pro tempore of the Senate shall succeed to the powers and duties of Governor, then the powers and duties of such office shall devolve upon the Speaker of the Assembly, until the office of Governor shall be filled at such general election.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SIX.
(Being Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 39.)

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section six, article nine of the Constitution of the State of California, relating to grammar schools, by which it is proposed to amend said section to read as follows:

Section 6. The public school system shall include primary and grammar schools, and such High schools, evening schools, Normal schools and technical schools as may be established by the Legislature or by municipal or district authority, but the entire revenue derived from the State school fund, and the State school tax, shall be applied exclusively to the support of primary and grammar schools. Grammar schools shall include schools organized in a school district, or union of school districts, having more than one thousand inhabitants, in which a course of study shall be taught which will prepare pupils to enter the agricultural, mining or scientific department of the University of California.

AMENDMENT NUMBER SEVEN.
(Being Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 24.)

A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to section two of article four of the Constitution, in relation to sessions of the Legislature, by which it is proposed to amend said section to read as follows:

Section 2. The sessions of the Legislature shall commence at twelve o'clock meridian on the first Monday after the first day of January next succeeding the election of its members, and shall be biennial unless the Governor shall in the interim convene the Legislature by proclamation. The Legislature shall then remain in session for twenty-five days, after which it must adjourn to some date not less than thirty nor more than sixty days from the time of adjournment. If the two houses fail to agree upon a time at which they will resume their session, the Governor shall, by proclamation, fix a date for such reconvening, which shall be within the limits above prescribed. Upon re-assembling, the Legislature shall complete its session. No joy shall be allowed to members for a longer period than seventy-five days, and no bill shall be introduced in either house, except at the first twenty-five days of the session, without the consent of three fourths of the members thereof.

Now, therefore, pursuant to the provisions of the Constitution, and an act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled "An act to provide for the submission of proposed amendments to the Constitution of the State of California, to the qualified electors for their approval," approved March 7, A. D. 1893, the above described amendments are hereby published and advertised to be voted upon, by ballot, by the qualified electors of the State, at the election to be held throughout this State on

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 8, A. D. 1898.

The said proposed amendments are to be separately voted upon in manner and form as follows:

Each ballot used at such election must contain written or printed thereon the following words, whereupon the voter may express his choice as provided by law:

Amendment Number One, being Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 41, (exempting certain claims against the city and county of San Francisco, and the existing indebtedness of the city of Vallejo for the construction of its water works from the provisions of the Constitution requiring such claims to be paid from the income and revenues of the year in which they were incurred.) For the Amendment?	Yes / No
Amendment Number Two, being Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 10, (providing for framing local county government acts, by inhabitants of counties for their government.) For the Amendment?	Yes / No
Amendment Number Three, being Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 44, (providing for the creation of a Court of Claims to determine claims against the State, and to consist of three Superior Judges designated by the Governor to serve without extra compensation.) For the Amendment?	Yes / No
Amendment Number Four, being Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 37, (exempting consolidated cities and counties, organized or to be organized, or holding a charter under the Constitution, from certain legislation in relation to counties.) For the Amendment?	Yes / No
Amendment Number Five, being Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 36, (relating to office of Governor, providing for succession thereto in certain cases and removing disability of Lieutenant Governor from holding other office during term.) For the Amendment?	Yes / No
Amendment Number Six, being Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 35, (relating to and defining grammar schools.) For the Amendment

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The Situation in Luzon Gradually Growing Better.

Gen. Otis Cables Figures of American Sick List.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 20.—The War Department today posted the following bulletin:

Under date of yesterday General Otis cabled the War Department:

"The situation in Luzon somewhat improved. Influence of Filipinos of education and property, not desiring independent government, but hostile to Spain. Promising nothing, but enforcing the law. Complications seriously affect inter-island commerce and diminish revenue. Affairs progressing favorably, though sick report increasing, owing mostly to carelessness of enlisted men. Health of officers good. Condition of city and facilities for quartering troops improving. Fever decreasing. Intestinal troubles about the same. Many slight ailments. Smallpox apparently arrested. During the month twenty-eight deaths, eight smallpox, eight typhoid fever, five malarial and intestinal complaints, three accidental."

General Otis cabled considerably more than the above, but the department does not deem it advisable to make the other portions of the dispatch public because of its bearing upon the peace negotiations.

It contains suggestions by General Otis regarding the disposition of the Philippines, and also information about the insurgents.

SOLDIER SUDDENLY FINDS AN INHERITANCE

James Croak, a private in the New Jersey volunteers, is the possessor of a snug little sum of money. He is an heir of John Croak, who died in the Home for the Blind about two years ago. When the estate was distributed James Croak could not be located, although Attorney George De Golla made strenuous efforts to find him. He has just turned up.

Crook will secure the court's order for the release of the money from the County Treasury.

CAUGHT HIS ARM IN AN ENGINE.

Carl McCurdy of 825 Oak street, Alameda, was treated at Fabiola Hospital last evening for a serious injury sustained in the engine house of the Southern Pacific Company. He caught his right arm in an engine just as the big machine started to move. He was removed to the Receiving Hospital and later to Fabiola, where Dr. Olmsted amputated the member.

CORA PLUNKETT WINS HER DIVORCE CASE.

Mrs. Cora E. Plunkett has been granted a decree of divorce from William T. Plunkett, the ex-University football player. The ground was cruelty. The defendant is ordered to pay $30 a month alimony.

Dr. Shinnick Returns.

Dr. Charles C. Shinnick has returned from St. Helena where he was called to attend a patient.

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CENTERVILLE TO THE FRONT

Grand Reception Accorded to the Republican Candidates.

Farmers and Merchants Pledge Their Support For the Success of the County Nominees.

It remained for Centerville to give the Republican county candidates the largest and most enthusiastic meeting held during their campaign through the country towns. The candidates have everywhere been received royally, but the demonstration which greeted their arrival last night was one which did great credit to those who managed the affair, and also to the partiotic spirit of the inhabitants.

During the early part of the evening the candidates assembled with the crowd to witness a fine pyrotechnic display which lasted about an hour.

Centerville Hall, in which the meeting was held, was elaborately decorated for the occasion with palms, flowers, and the National colors. The platform especially presented a fine appearance.

As the candidates entered the hall and went forward to the platform they were cheered to the echo, and when each was introduced to the audience there was a repetition of the ovation.

Harry W. Lynch presided at the meeting and made appropriate and complimentary remarks in introducing each speaker.

Frank P. Keily of San Francisco was present and made the address of the evening, speaking at some length upon the issues of the State campaign.

The Young Men's Republican League Quartette repeated the successes which have attended its appearance in the other towns and was encored many times.

Before the speaker of the evening was introduced, each of the candidates was presented in turn and made a few remarks concerning his own candidacy and other subjects connected with the county and State campaign.

William McDonald was first introduced. He announced that the was out to be elected to the Assembly from the Forty-sixth District, and would like the support of the voters. In regard to the campaign which the Fusion candidates are making in the county towns, he said "They are following our lead and I hope that they will stay behind us. I hope that on election day they may be as far behind as they are now."

J. Cal Ewing said "I come before you as a candidate for County Auditor and have been regularly nominated for that office by the Republican convention at San Leandro. As such I would like your support, and I also want you to elect the entire ticket from Henry T. Gage down to constable."

Charles H. Spear referred to the fusion candidates following the Republican nominees in their campaign, and said: "The candidates of these parties have always been the tail of every political kite invented, and I hope they will stay there, although I am not sure whether they are weighty enough to make even a respectable tail. I am the present incumbent in the office of County Recorder, and am seeking re-election. If you give me your support I will continue to administer the office to the best of my ability.

J. J. Allen then spoke. He said: "I started out as a candidate for District Attorney, but it seems to be the case every place I go to be paraded as a matrimonial candidate. However, I am still in the fight for the Attorneyship, and if elected will do my best to fill the office efficiently."

H. P. Dalton said: "As you know, I am a candidate for Assessor. I have tried to serve with ability, and I hope I have satisfied the people. If my record is satisfactory, I ask you to consider me as favorably as the different conventions have done."

Frank C. Jordan was the next speaker. He said in part: "Four years ago I was in this town. I was rather nervous then, and I must confess that I am somewhat nervous now. However, the reception which has been given the candidates in Washington Township has been very gratifying. This meeting is the best that we have attended yet.

"I am here this evening as a candidate for re-election as County Clerk. I want to make a fair and square fight. I have known my opponent for several years and know him to be a good man, but that is not saying that I want you to vote for him. I want all the votes I can get for myself. Four years ago I promised to perform the duties of County Clerk faithfully. You are the best judges whether or not I have kept my pledges. I have done the best I could, and have always been ready to accommodate any one who came into my office. I ask your support once more, and I pledge you that you will have no cause to regret it."

S. D. Waterman said "I have served in the ranks of the public schools of California as a high private for twenty-eight years, and now I am here before you seeking a commission in the same service. I will be grateful for your support."

James B. Barber was then presented. He said: "As the chairman stated, I am a candidate for Tax Collector. I have a great many friends here, and I expect them all to vote for me. I have endeavored to do my duty in the past and will do the same in the future if I am elected."

B. C. Hawes said: "As the office I seek is a quiet one, it will not be necessary for me to make many remarks. I will say, however, that I have been regularly nominated for Public Administrator and am here as such nominee. I have always been a Republican. I am what may be called a dyed-in-the-wool veteran in its ranks. Some of these candidates are here to say to you, 'try me once more.' I am here to say, 'try me once.'"

Dr. H. B. Mehrmann said in part: "I am out seeking the office of Coroner, and I want you all to vote for me, Republicans, Democrats, Populists, and all alike. If elected I will do my best to give the office an efficient administration."

Arthur W. Feidler said that he is a candidate for Treasurer, and would like to see Livermore represented in that office.

The following local candidates were then introduced in turn and said a few words: S. Vandervoort and T. F. Murphy, candidates for Constables; and B. F. Thompson and S. Sandholt, candidates for Justices of the Peace. Mr. Murphy also told some of his funny stories.

Frank P. Kelly was then introduced. He said in part: "We are here tonight to discuss local and State issues. I want to say that the issues of this campaign are fraught with great interests to the Nation and this State. California is the gateway to the Orient and will be particularly interested in the territorial expansion policy of the present administration. We have just finished a war which has been remarkable for its shortness and the execution shown by our army and navy. I will ask the people of this town to support the administration and roll up such a Republican majority on next election day as will say to William McKinley: 'Well done, thou good and faithful servant.'

"From the time of Lincoln the Republican party has been the party of progress. Whenever the Republicans have been in control the farmers have received good prices, the manufacturers have been kept busy, and everything has been full of prosperity. It has been just the contrary whenever the Democrats have had the power. During their administrations have come the hard times and high rates of interest."

Mr. Kelly then spoke at some length upon the record and present standing of Maguire. He dwelt particularly upon the fallacy of the single tax theory which Mr. Maguire has held so many years, and warned the voters of the dangers to which the State would be subjected if a man with such theories and ideas were elected to preside in the Gubernatorial chair. He concluded his address with an appeal to the voters to support the whole State and county ticket.

The meeting closed with three cheers for the Republican party and the candidates.

DONATIONS RECEIVED BY THE RED CROSS.

The Oakland Red Cross acknowledges with thanks donations of mats, fish, eggs, butter, milk, jellies, vegetables, and chickens received during the past week from the following: Mr. D. J. Campbell, Miss Fry, Mrs. L. Long, Mrs. Newell, Junior Red Cross No. 1, Lincoln Grammar School, Mrs. and Miss Otey, Mrs. Lewis Tasheira, Mrs. E. M. Walsh, Mrs. Edson Adams, Mrs. Butters, Mrs. L. A. Booth, Mrs. Cleuf, Mrs. Rosener, Mrs. Wakefield, Primary class First Congregational Church, Mrs. H. H. Watson, Mrs. Garthwaite, Miss Clarrage, Mrs. Merchant, Mrs. Nicholson, Miss Breck, Mrs. R. S. Moore, Centerville Red Cross, Mrs. W. H. Friend, Fred Becker, Mrs. Engelhartt. The employees of Rice & White donated a whole spring lamb, sufficient for two days.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

Charles R. Hyde, Oakland	22
Cora M. Taylor, Oakland	18
Wm. E. Roeder, San Francisco	36
Elizabeth B. Calhoun, Alameda	27
Elliot B. Davis, Oakland	30
Mare Wilhelm, Oakland	19
Charles Minich, San Francisco	35
Mollie F. Unger, San Francisco	32
Manuel J. Alves, Haywards	24
Mamie M. Martini, Haywards	18
George F. Newell, Alameda	
Grace M. Patterson, Alameda	
John G. Knox, San Francisco	24
Catherine C. Bassett, San Francisco	30
Samuel J. Webster, Tomales	50
Elizabeth M. Comeford, Oakland	33
Max Gross, San Francisco	36
Beckie Silverstein, Oakland	19
Samuel Schwartz, San Francisco	29
Rebeka Bercovich, Oakland	22
Melville C. Threlkeld, Oakland	29
Annie R. Tryer, Oakland	27
Manuel S. Marsh, San Leandro	23
Mamie Gonzales, San Leandro	18

Two Hospital Cases.

George A. Holland, a carpet layer, residing at 805 Webster street, was treated at the Receiving Hospital this morning by Steward Tobin for a sprain of the right ankle.

Dan Drake, a longshoreman, had the fingers of his right hand crushed while handling timber. He was treated at the Receiving Hospital. Drake resides at 657 Grove street.

Ships in the Mud.

The schooner Eureka is stuck in the estuary off Broadway wharf. The vessel has been there all night in spite of the crew's efforts to get her off the mud.

The scow schooner "John Nagel" is hard and fast off Franklin street dock.

De Bret's Trial.

The trial of Louis De Bret has been re-set for October 25th.

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Leg Mutton	10c
Spare Ribs	3c
Beef Roast	5c to 10c
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Mutton Stew	5c
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FUSION FORCES MEET AT THE TABERNACLE.

Many Candidates Ask Support of the Voters.

John R. Glascock Makes a Very Interesting Speech.

DOES NOT LIKE MARK HANNA.

The Candidate For Supervisor Has Something to Say About Conventions.

The Fusion candidates held a union meeting at the Tabernacle last night. There was a fair sized audience in attendance to listen to the speeches.

Chairman Tarpey of the Democratic County Committee called the meeting to order and made a brief reference to the Union party. He then introduced Thos. F. Garrity as chairman of the meeting.

Mr. Garrity attacked the San Leandro Convention, contending that such unanimity as was there exhibited could never proceed from any other cause than boss rule. He pictured the election as almost won and praised the "triple alliance."

Thomas Scott of Livermore was first introduced. He is the nominee for member of the State Board of Equalization. Mr. Scott reiterated the speech that he made at the Tabernacle when Judge Maguire appeared in this city. His story told how he did not seek the office, but the office sought him.

John Bennett, Assembly candidate from the Fifty-first district, placed himself on record as in favor of the referendum and of the Fitzgerald labor law.

O. M. Sanford, County Treasurer, was next introduced. He referred to Hutchinson, candidate for Lieutenant Governor, placing him in a bright light before the people. Mr. Sanford averred that a limited monarchy is better than a Government by trusts and monopolies.

C. W. Logan, nominee for Senator; Hiram Luttrell, candidate for the Assembly from the Forty-eighth district, and B. F. Calhoun, candidate for Constable from Oakland township, each pledged himself to the platform and solicited suffrage.

John R. Glascock followed with a sensational speech. After discussing some of the issues of the campaign, he said:

"Come down to Germania Hall on the 26th, where I live, and I will give you some plain American facts about the matters in which you are greatly interested. There is not time for me to do it tonight.

"A word as to the people, the plain, common people, whom Abraham Lincoln loved. They are the people who must solve the great problems of the Government. They can make or mar the destinies of the nation when they go into the booth on election. To such a people I want to ask how they stand in this fight. Are you willing to be led by bosses, or are you willing to vote as you see fit for the prosperity of your own community?

"I attack the Republicanism of Mark Hanna and his methods. When the Republican Convention met in Sacramento it was to ratify what Crimmins, Kelly, Dan Burns and the Southern Pacific Company had ordered done. What chance did George C. Pardee have there? In the language of the street, he 'was up against it.' Why, he did not have the chance of an ice cart in hades.

"Pardee came back after the defeat and was patted on the back, and the bosses said: 'You have taken your defeat nobly. Now go back and work for your ticket.'

"He took his defeat gracefully, but in his heart of hearts he will repudiate this man Dan Burns, who ought to be behind the grated bars of a State prison rather than to be the leader of a great party.

"And shall our Republican friends from Alameda county not say to Kelly and Crimmins and that ilk: 'You do not control us. We are independent American citizens, and we shall vote as our consciences dictate, not as the Southern Pacific Company directs.'

"This has been the case on a smaller scale in our own county. Why the Republican nominees should go to Kelly's saloon in San Francisco to receive their nominations for an Alameda county ticket I cannot understand. A true man and an independent man will resent this; and I say it is time that the manhood of Alameda county—Republican, Democrat, Populist and Silver Republican—should assert itself and say to these bosses: 'Keep off our grass.'"

Mr. Glascock denounced as false and malicious reports that he had been against the education of a workingman's son. He declared he was in favor of a manual training for children, and if they could continue it was the duty of the State to provide the best education possible for them. He asked why was the State rate of taxation lowered during the past six years and the county rate steadily increased. He asked the Supervisors to tell him why. He asked:

"Where has the money gone? Why is it that the assessments on the great corporations are steadily reduced? I ask the Supervisors.

"There has been a reckless extravagance in the expenditure of county money. Alameda county is the richest county in the State, yet there is now facing us an empty county general fund. Perhaps the fact that Fruitvale road district bills are paid $1 out of the district fund and $499 out of the county general fund, to which all of us contribute, may be one reason. Where is the $40,000 that was appropriated two years ago for the building of a Webster street bridge that has not been built? If you put Charlie Heyer and you put me into the Board of Supervisors, I will guarantee that we will find out something about those things."

Speaking on State affairs, Mr. Glascock said: "Henry T. Gage cannot be Governor of this State. He is untried, and we don't want a man there who may say: 'Colonel Burns, I am tired; come up here and help me.'

"We want James G. Maguire for Governor, and it will be by your votes that we shall get him."

Mr. Glascock repeated the story told by A. K. Grim that he (Grim) twelve days before the convention, acting on the advice of friends, went across the bay to see Dan Burns, and was told by him: "We will give you another place on the ticket, but you can't have the nomination for Recorder; we already have 158 delegates pledged on that office."

"What was that but an open confession that our county politics are dominated by the bosses across the bay?" said the speaker. "It is time for those who call themselves American citizens to rise and make a protest."

T. C. Crawford and F. W. Sawyer followed with interesting talks. They are candidates for County Superintendent of Schools and District Attorney respectively.

The meeting was concluded by speeches by Messrs. Kraft, Gentry and Walker.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Mr. and Mrs. Sage of Ventura are spending a few days visiting in this city and adjoining towns.

John Stewart, of Redlands and Miss May Jones of this city were married at the home of the bride last week. Mr. and Mrs. Stewart have gone to Redlands to make their home.

Peter Tourey of Santa Rosa spent Sunday in this city.

Miss Rose O'Rourke was a guest at the Occidental in Santa Rosa Saturday.

John P. Plover of Santa Rosa was a recent visitor in this city.

Dr. J. A. Heath of Templeton has been visiting his family in this city for a few days.

Frank Noyes of Berkeley is spending a short vacation in Napa.

George Dugdell is back from a couple of days' visit in Santa Clara where he was the guest of relatives.

Miss Maggie Wade of Alviso has been visiting friends and relatives in this city for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Brundage returned Sunday from Alviso where they have been visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Alexander returned Saturday from a week's visit in Gilroy where she was the guest of friends.

Miss Gladys Down of Santa Clara is spending a week in this city.

J. R. Shields is visiting his family in Santa Clara.

Mrs. Homer Craig left Saturday for her home in Los Gatos.

Miss Charlotte Krug of Sacramento has been visiting friends in Alameda for a few days.

Miss Madge Poffenberger of Cranmore was a recent visitor in Berkeley.

Mrs. W. J. Bradshaw and family of Helena, Montana, are visiting in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Vance of Stockton are guests at the Albany.

Miss E. Jokson is back from a visit to Andine.

The German Ladies' Relief Society of Alameda are preparing to give an annual ball and entertainment which will take place in Harmonic Hall on November 5th.

Mrs. A. H. Ward and Miss Herbert of Alameda are enjoying a tour in the Eastern states and in Canada.

Miss Flo Robinette of Sacramento recently spent a few days visiting friends in this city.

Mrs. Koertner is the guest of Miss Annie Stone in Grass Valley.

Dr. W. G. Mobley is visiting his brother in North Bloomfield.

Dr. Lewis Carpenter of Vallejo spent Sunday in this city visiting his family.

Mrs. H. M. Melcher of Berkeley is now residing in Santa Barbara.

F. H. Perham of Berkeley is confined to his home by illness.

Henry James of Berkeley has gone to San Diego on business.

Mrs. Amy Bates of Berkeley has gone to Denver to join her husband.

William E. Bond of Anaconda, who has been seriously ill here for some time, is rapidly recovering and is entirely out of danger.

George Van Haltren of the New York Baseball Club is expected to arrive here shortly.

Miss Della Clancey of Berkeley is back from a week's visit in Mill Valley where she was the guest of friends.

Miss Agness of Berkeley was called to Santa Cruz Sunday to attend her mother who is seriously ill.

Isaac Hyman and family of Berkeley have moved to Sacramento to reside.

Miss Eleanor Davenport of Berkeley is back from a six months' visit in Denver.

Mrs. Frank Fowden of Berkeley has gone to Santa Cruz for a month.

Professor Jaffa of the University of California will leave shortly for the East where he will attend the meeting of the different science associations.

Maurice Burmeister arrived yesterday on the Mariposa from Australia, where he has been traveling for nearly two years.

DETERMINED CAMPAIGN OF VICTOR METCALF.

The "Woodland Mail" has the following to say concerning the campaign of Victor Metcalf, Republican nominee for Congressman from the Third District:

"While Victor H. Metcalf was making his tour through the northern counties of his district he came to one town which evidently is rather strongly Democratic. At Orland, Glenn county, he alighted from the train and was met by a Democratic newspaper man, who took him to a Democratic hotel. The hotel man introduced him to a Democratic barber when he wanted a shave. While there he had occasion to consult a physician and was taken to one of the Democratic faith. He remarked that if he should happen to die he would be buried by a Democratic undertaker, and was informed that the only one in town was a Democrat. The owner of the hall was a Democrat and was out of town, so some of the Democrats climbed through the windows and opened the hall, while other Democrats built a huge bonfire. When all was ready he had a rousing meeting; in fact, the largest held there in several years. When the time to leave arrived he was escorted to the train by a Democratic committee. They told him that a man who had the energy to push a Republican meeting to such a successful conclusion in so strong a Democratic community, was certainly entitled to represent them in Congress and that he could count on their support. The favorable impression that Mr. Metcalf is making in his canvass, together with his energy, is going to land him a sure winner."

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CHANGES AMONG VOLUNTEER OFFICERS.

Capt. John A. Logan, Jr., Is Assigned to Duty at Santiago.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

CHICAGO, Oct. 20.—A special to the Record from Washington says: Captain John A. Logan Jr., Commissary of Subsistence, has been relieved from duty as assistant to the chief commissary staff of Major General Joseph C. Breckinridge, U. S. V., and ordered to proceed with his authorized clerk to Santiago and report in person to the commanding General at that place for assignment to subsistence duty.

Captain Warren C. Fairbanks, Commissary of Subsistence, U. S. V., son of Senator Fairbanks of Indiana, has been honorably discharged from the service of the United States by the Secretary of War, to take effect October 15, 1898, his services being no longer required.

Richard W. Johnson, brigade surgeon U. S. V., has been relieved from further duty at Fort D. A. Russell, upon the expiration of his present leave of absence. He will proceed to Chicago and report in person to the commander of the Lakes for duty as attending surgeon and examiner of recruits.

PLAY AT THE DEWEY OPERA HOUSE.

"The Signal of Liberty" as presented by the Jossey and Marvin company is drawing large audiences to the Dewey Opera House this week. The piece is very dramatic and the players are frequently applauded for their good work. W. J. Elleford and Jessie Norton, together with Harry Jackson's new company, will appear next week in "Uncle Tom's Cabin."

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By local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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Thibault and the Barnes.

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